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BUSINESS MEN WILL HOLD PICNIC AUG. 24

Plans for Annual Outing of Centre and Clinton Counties.

RE-ELECT OLD OFFICERS

Meeting of Association Held at Mill Hall Arranges for the Big Event—Philip D. Foster Chosen Vice President—Meet Here July 30.

Tuesday, August 24, has been selected as the time for the annual Centre—Clinton business men's picnic, at Hecla Park. Successful as has this annual outing for the business men of the two counties, and their families, been in the past, this year's picnic promises to be the best of all.

Plans for the picnic were made at the annual meeting of the business men's association, of the two counties, held on last Friday night, at the Clinton Country Club, at Mill Hall. At the conclusion a specially prepared dinner was served. Another meeting will be held at the Bush House, Bellefonte, on July 30, to complete all arrangements for the big event.

J. Will Conley, John D. Sourbeck, J. C. Meyer, Frank Warfield, James Corl, L. T. Munson and Francis Speer, of the "Centre Democrat," were the Bellefonte representatives at the meeting at the Clinton Country Club. M. D. Kelley, of Snow Shoe, was present as the representative of that thriving town. Philip D. Foster represented State College, while W. Gross Mingle was on hand to speak for Centre Hall. T. J. Smull, of Mackeyville, whose record as president of the association made him a unanimous choice for re-election, presided. From Lock Haven there were present Mayor W. G. Bentley, G. W. Fredericks, G. W. Mason, C. F. Brown, P. P. Rittner, Philip S. Kift, D. G. Stoner, A. L. Merrill, Frank E. Harder, A. C. Candor, ex-Mayor W. H. Stevenson, D. J. McNaul, of the Lock Haven "Democrat;" N. A. Xander, of the Lock Haven "Express;" H. A. Stevenson and Joel A. Herr. Others in attendance were John R. Thompson, of Salona; R. H. Stewart, of Island, and Mr. Brainard, of Williamsport, representing the Northern Central Railroad, which may run a special train from his home city to the park. It is proposed to secure the Repaz Band, of Williamsport for the occasion. One or more baseball games will be a feature, while there will be other amusements to please all.

At the business meeting all of the old officers were re-elected, as follows:

President—T. J. Smull,
Secretary—J. C. Meyer,
Treasurer—G. W. Fredericks.

The several committees which so successfully conducted last year's picnic were re-elected, as follows:

Finance—Hammon Sechler, John M. Bullock, Bellefonte; M. D. Kelley, Snow Shoe; Philip D. Foster, State College; John R. Thompson, Salona.

Amusements—John D. Sourbeck, Sidney Krumrine, Harry Otto, Bellefonte; Philip S. Kift, Frank Harder, C. H. Bressler, Lock Haven.

Printing—Robert Cole, Bellefonte; W. Gross Mingle, Centre Hall; A. L. Merrill, Lock Haven.

Closing—Dr. D. G. Stewart, Earle C. Tuten, Bellefonte; D. J. McNaul, N. A. Xander, Lock Haven.

Music—Hard P. Harris, George R. Meek, Bellefonte; A. C. Candor, Lock Haven.

Management—J. C. Meyer, J. Will Conley, Bellefonte; G. W. Mason, Lock Haven.

Mr. Foster was elected vice president of the association, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late F. C. Montgomery, of this place. As a tribute to the memory of Mr. Montgomery, who was for years one of the most active members of the association, the following resolution was adopted:

"WHEREAS, Since the last previous annual meeting of this Association, death has removed our much-beloved vice president, Mr. F. C. Montgomery, of Bellefonte, Pa., now, therefore, be it,

"RESOLVED, That this testimonial of our esteem for the genial personality and helpful companionship of the late Mr. Montgomery be spread upon the minutes of the Association and that in confirmation of our high regard for him as a member of our Association and a Christian gentleman, a copy of this minute be forwarded to the family of the decedent with the assurance of our tender sympathy and earnest condolence."

It was voted to allow the several committees $600 for necessary expenses in arranging for this year's picnic.

CONTRACTS AWARDED

School Board Acts Without Waiting for Loan Election.

Although the people have not authorized the propsed $33,000 loan for the completion of the new school building, at the corner of Allegheny and Linn streets, the school board on last Friday night awarded the contract for the building. The contract was given to Wallace & Miller, for $35,601.13.

The Bellefonte Steam & Gas Company was awarded the contract for heating and ventilating the building. This contract calls for $8,850, and covers the work, complete.

In awarding the contracts the board acted with a view to gaining as much time as possible in getting the work under way. In this connection the board proceeded on the assumption that the people will, at the special election, August 17, vote the necessary authority to borrow the additional $33,000.

There were three bids for heating and ventilating the building in addition to that of the Bellefonte Steam & Gas Company. The E. Keeler Company, of Williamsport, bid $9,727, with about $1,200 to $1,600 worth of work additional to be done by the board. Snyder & Raub, of Philadelphia, proposed to fit up, heat and ventilate the building for, including toilets, $12,895. This bid covered all work. The three companies mentioned proposed using steam.

The American Heating & Ventilating Company proposed doing the work for $7,977, including toilets, but to have proporly installed this system the board would have had to do from $1600 to $2000 additional work. This bid was for warm air in place of steam.

The Buffalo Forge Company is back of the Bellefonte Steam & Gas Company, it was announced by the board, so there is every guarantee that the building will be well heated and ventilated.

With the awarding of the contract for the construction of the building, Wallace & Miller lost no time in starting on the work. Opinion differs as to when the building will be ready for occupancy. Members of the school board hold out the hope that it will be completed not later than Thanksgiving day. By some others it is doubted that the building will be ready for the children much before the end of the school term, in the Spring.

STUNNED BY LIGHTNING

Little Son of William Bodle, Has Narrow Escape.

Destruction and heavy damage were left in the wake of the severe storm which swept over parts of the county late last Thursday afternoon. While many small buildings were unroofed and some fences were blown down, the greatest havoc caused by the storm was that near Hunter's Park, where the barn of William Bodle was struck by lightning and burned to the ground. Earnest, Mr. Bodle's young son, was standing under an over-shed at the barn at the time, and was knocked down and rendered unconscious by the force of the shock. He regained consciousness shortly afterward and while he escaped without any burns it was necessary to put him to bed for treatment.

The barn and contents were totally destroyed, resulting in heavy loss to Mr. Bodle. In addition to five calves and a colt which were burned to death, the fire destroyed thirty-eight loads of hay, a wagon, sleigh, harness, etc.

While Mr. Bodle's barn was burning lightning struck a tree, a short distance away, and completely shattered it.

Reformed Church Reunion.

The ninth annual reunion of the Reformed church people, of the Lock Haven, Nittany Valley and Bellefonte charges, will be held at Hecla Park, Thursday August 5. In the morning a short service will be held with an address by the Rev. H. Crow. In the afternoon a number of interesting sports and games will take place. A special train schedule will be announced next week.

Senator McNichol's Wife Dead.

Anastasia Agnes McNichol, wife of State Senator James P. McNichol, of Philadelphia, died at Atlantic City, on Tuesday, after an illness of several months. She is survived by a husband and ten children. Senator McNichol was in his office, in Philadelphia, when he received a message announcing his wife's death, which was due to an affection of the heart and kidneys.

Change in Train Service.

On and after August 1st, 1909, and until business improves, there will be a limited train service between State College and Pine Grove Mills. Trains will run as follows: Monday, Wednesday and Saturday, of each week.

STATE CANDIDATES FORMALLY NOTIFIED

Republican Nominees, Accepting, Define Their Attitude.

MAKE A STRONG TICKET

Judge von Moschzisker, Senator Sisson and J. A. Stober Speak at Philadelphia Meeting Which Opens the Campaign—Party Success Assured.

The Republican State campaign was formally opened on Saturday last, with the customary notification meeting for the candidates, who this year are: Judge Robert von Moschzisker, of Philadelphia, for Supreme Court Justice; Senator A. E. Sisson, of Erie, for Auditor General, and former Senator J. A. Stober, of Lancaster, for State Treasurer. The meeting was held at Philadelphia. J. G. Love, of Bellefonte, was among those in attendance.

All three nominees were present and spoke briefly in accepting their respective nominations. When Judge von Moschzisker was notified of the action of the convention he replied in language which, to those who have not had the pleasure of knowing him personally, gives a good idea of his high ideals and his high conception of the place for which he has been nominated. Judge von Moschzisker said:

"The candidate for judicial office occupies a different position from other candidates. Under our customs he is nominated by the party convention and may reasonably look for the usual party support, but he is not in a position to disscuss politics or the policies of his party, for the reason that when elected to the bench he has nothing whatever to do with politics or the carrying out of party policies; in fact, it becomes his duty, when elected, to forget the fact that he was a candidate of any particular party, and to proceed to administer the law for the whole people without regard to any principles or policies, save the principles of the law as he is given the power to understand them.

"Fortunately, these ideas have become fixed in Pennsylvania, and it is not my desire to make any departure therefrom.

"I can only ask you, when you return to your homes, to say to your friends and neighbors that you have seen and heard from your candidate, and notwithstanding his somewhat difficult name you found him to be a plain American man with no other ambition than to do his duty.

"For I pledge to you, and through you to the people of the state of Pennsylvania, that if elected to the high office for which you have made me a candidate, I will enter upon its duties with the single purpose of making a constant effort to fill the place to the very best of my ability."

Senator Sisson, the nominee for Auditor General, made clear his position as a candidate. Rugged honesty has been his motto throughout his entire life. His pledge to the people is that, if elected, he will intelligently, faithfully and honestly perform the duties of the office. Every man who knows Senator Sisson will accept this without the slightest reservation. When we say every man we mean every Democrat who knows Senator Sisson as well as every Republican. We challenge any Democrat to point to a single instance where even so much as a hint of suspicion has been raised as to Senator Sisson's honesty and integrity. The most the Democrats can charge him with is his unflinching loyalty to the Republican party, and for this we admire him. This is what Senator Sisson said in accepting the nomination to succeed Auditor General Young:

"I fully appreciate the great honor conferred upon me by the Republican State convention in nominating me as a candidate for the very important office of Auditor General of this commonwealth. I am aware of the great responsibilities that rest upon this officer, and I assure you that, if elected, I will use every endeavor to intelligently, faithfully and honestly perform the duties of the office.

"The splendid administration of the present executive surely commands the respect and admiration of the people of the commonwealth and justifies their continued confidence in the party that elected him.

"The great prosperity that has come to the people of Pennsylvania under the policy of protection to which they have been devoted in the past, and which has been pursued for many years by the Republican party in its administration of the affairs of the nation, insures an indorsement by our people of the magnifi-

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MARIA S. SCHENCK.

Former Well Known Resident of Howard Dies in Hagerstown, Md.

Maria Elizabeth Schenck, wife of Daniel W. Schenck, and a former resident of Howard, died at Hagerstown, Md., at midnight, Saturday. Deceased had been an invalid for the past eight years and for about fourteen weeks before her death was confined to her bed. Death was due to Bright's disease and dropsy.

Mrs. Schenck was born in Northampton county on Christmas day, 1840, and was therefore aged 68 years, 6 months and 22 days. Her parents later moved to Liberty township. On December 28, 1865, she was united in marriage to Daniel W. Schenck, of Howard, when they moved to Hagerstown. She was a faithful member of the United Evangelical church and a woman who leaves a host of friends to mourn her death. As a wife she was kind and devoted and as a mother took great pride in her family.

Surviving her are her husband and the following children: Mrs. Charles Engles, of Portsmouth, O.; William W., of Howard; Elmer J., of Boalsburg; Mrs. Thomas B. Gray, of Waynesboro; Mrs. Bertha Berry and Effie L., of Hagerstown. One brother L. F. Wetzler, of Milesburg, and one sister, Mrs. Carpenter Miller, of Howard, also survive.

The remains were taken to Howard and funeral services were held in the United Evangelical church, Tuesday afternooon, at two o'clock, Rev. J. R. Secrist, of Bellwood being in charge. Interment was made in the Schenck cemetery.

STUART—SHATTUCK

Popular Young Couple Wedded at State College.

A pretty home wedding was that at 10 o'clock yesterday, at State College, when Miss Elizabeth Moser Stuart was married to Professor Harold E. Shattuck. The ceremony was performed by Archdeacon Hall, of Wilmington, Del., assisted by Rev. Martin, Miss Margaret Stuart, the bride's sister, was her maid of honor, while John Frizzle was best man.

The bride is a daughter of Postmaster John Stuart and one of the most charming and highly talented young women at State College. Mr. Shattuck is a professor of electrical engineering at that place. On their return from the wedding tour Professor and Mrs. Shattuck will reside at State College.

Co. B off to Camp.

In a special train the boys of Co. B. will leave today for the annual ten day encampment of the Second Brigade of the N. G. P, which this year will be held at Somerset, Pa. The company is in charge of Capt. P. F. Garbrick and Lieutenants E. R. Taylor and W. H. Allen. Col. H. S. Taylor, commander of the Fifth regiment, and staff, will accompany the boys to camp. The Bellefonte members of the staff are as follows: Capt. Robert F. Hunter, Capt. Melvin J. Locke, Major R. G. H. Hayes, Reg't Sergeant Major Claude W. Smith, Bat'l Sergeant Major Lemuel R. Poorman and Color Sergeant James R. Hughes. The hospital corps was in charge of Sergeant R. Russel Blair. The advance detail left yesterday in charge of Lieut. John I. Robinson,

Little Eleanor Beezer Dead.

Especially sad was the death of Eleanor Louise Beezer, the pretty little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Beezer, shortly before 5 o'clock on Saturday morning, last. Early in the week she was apparently in the best of health, but on Tuesday she was taken ill with gastritis, supposedly due to eating unripe fruit. Despite the best—care of attending physicians and all that loving parents could do her condition gradually became worse and at 4.45 o'clock Saturday morning she died. She was about three and one-half years old. Interment was made on Monday.

Struck by Base Ball.

While watching a baseball game, on Reynolds Avenue, on last Thursday afternoon, six-year-old Max Love, a son of John D. Love, overseer of the poor, was struck in the face by a ball, sustaining injuries which were quite painful. Max was standing behind the catcher to see if the pitcher was putting the ball across the plate all right. A swiftly pitched ball went through the catcher's hands and struck Max squarely in the face. His lips were badly cut and bruised. Dr. M. J. Locke attended him and Max will soon be ready for another game.

Phenol Sodique applied to cuts or wounds, is silent, soothing, sure.

JAWS RIGIDLY LOCKED BUT WOMAN RECOVERS

Mrs. David Yocum, of Hublersburg, Has Narrow Escape.

STEPS ON RUSTY NAIL

Wound First Healed and Then She Became Dangerously Ill—For Five Days Muscles of Her Throat Remained Paralyzed—Lived on Milk.

A remarkable case of recovery from lockjaw is reported from Hublersburg. After an illness of two weeks, during five days of which time her jaws were firmly locked, Mrs. David Yocum is now resting easily, being able to talk and to take slight nourishment. The attending physician, Dr. Fisher, of Zion, gives every hope for her recovery, although for a time it was feared she could not live.

While attending to her household duties, several weeks ago, Mrs. Yocum, ran a rusty nail into her foot almost an inch deep. Although the wound was very painful, it soon healed and she thought no more of it. Nevertheless it festered internally and on Thursday of last week lockjaw developed. For five days the muscles in her throat were paralyzed and her jaws remained rigid. She could neither speak nor swallow. The only nourishment she received during this period was the few drops af milk that could trickle down her throat. The physician reopened and cauterized the wound in her foo , and during most of the time kept the patient under the influence of opiates.

Her system finally responded to treatment, her jaws slowly relaxed and her friends are now confident of her ultimate recovery.

TO STOP LEAKAGE

Councils Plan to Prevent Waste at Reservoir.

Bellefonte Councils, at their regular meeting, Monday night, passed an ordinance licensing hacks and drays, another regulating theatricals not held in regularly equipped buildings, and instructed the Water Committe to ascertain how best to repair the reservoir to stop the present leakage of about 160,000 gallons every twenty-four hours. At this rate the leakage would amount to 1,231,370,000 gallons a year.

It is not improbable that Councils will have the reservoir relined. The work will not be undertaken, however, until the Water Committee shall have determined the best form of improvement that may be installed.

The Street Committee were instructed to co-operate with L. Carpeneto in laying a sewer from his house, at Logan and Allegheny streets, to Bishop and Allegheny streets. The borough will pay the difference in the cost of a six and a ten-inch pipe.

A balance of $654.28 in the treasury was reported. Burgess Bower reported $24 collections from fines, etc., with $10 expenses.

Bellefonte Boy in Panama.

From away off in Panama comes a letter from an old Bellefonte boy, William A. Butts. Writing from Gordona, Canal Zone, Panama, to his aunt, Mrs. Samuel B. Miller, of Linn Street, Will tells of the country, its people and his varied experiences. He left New York June 25, and is engaged in helping on the construction of the canal.

Dale Family Reunion.

The Dale family reunion will be held at Oak Hall, this county, on Saturday, August 7, 1909. A general invitation is extended to all who desire to attend. These reunions in the past have been very interesting and it is hoped to make the coming gathering of the Dale families, and their friends, an occasion long to be remembered.

Port Matilda Water Co.

The citizens of Port Matilda are to be supplied with pure fresh water from a spring on the north side of Muncy Ridge, south of the town. An application for a charter, to be known as the Port Matilda Water Company, has been made to the Governor of Pennsylvania, and in a short time active operation on the plant will be begun.

Convention at Eagleville.

The Executive committee of the Centre County Christian Endeavor Union met at Unionville, last Saturday, and made arrangements for the next annual convention, which will be held at Eagleville, September 1 and 2. A most excellent program has been prepared.

BELLEFONTE LOSES

Lock Haven Wins 5-2; Teams Play Here Tomorrow.

Bellefonte played in hard luck at Lock Haven, yesterday, being defeated 5-2. A number of enthusiasts accompanied the boys to Lock Haven, returning home late last night.

Tomorrow Bellefonte and Lock Haven will play here, the game being scheduled for 3.30. at Hughes Field. Bellefonte expects to wipe out yesterday's defeat, and a large crowd in attendance will help materially in making this possible.

Tomorrow night a benefit for the Bellefonte club will be held at the Scenic. The admission will be 10 cents, but a specially prepared bill will be presented. In addition to a double bill of pictures there will be singing by a special quartette. There will be an extra bill for those returning on the late train from the Hecla Park dance. Go to the Scenic and help the baseball club along.

The prettiest game on the home grounds this season was that on Saturday, last, which was won by Renovo, 2 to 1. It required ten innings to settle matters, and while Bellefonte lost it was a game well worth losing. Time and again one side or the other was in the tightest kind of a hole, only to pull out by fine work. The crowd was the largest of the year, which is encouraging evidence that Bellefonte pride is aroused and that the people are interested in the success of their club. It was "Ladies Day" and as such was a success.

Renovo led off in scoring, getting a man over the plate in the fifth inning after the hardest kind of work. In the eighth Bellefonte, with the best team work of the season, scored Turner. It was not until the tenth that the tie was broken, Renovo then getting in a second run. Bellefonte was unable to score in her half of the inning, thus ending the game.

Martz, the Pine Grove boy, pitched a superb game for Bellefonte. using great headwork at times when Renovo had men on bases. He deserved to win. Turner was hurt twice but continued in the game. Every man on the team played good ball.

RESIGNS FROM BANK.

Maurice Jackson Quits Trust Co. to Go to Reading.

The many friends of Maurice Jackson were more than surprised when they learned that he had resigned his position with the Bellefonte Trust Company last week, and that in the course of a week or ten days he expects to remove to Reading. According to his plans he probably will enter the office of an insurance company of that place.

"Bert" Robb, who has been employed at the Centre County Bank for some time past, has resigned his position there to accept a place with the Bellefonte Trust Company.

Maurice Jackson has been identified with the Bellefonte Trust Company since its organization, and before that with the old bank of Jackson, Crider & Hastings. That he should conclude to leave Bellefonte was about the last thing his friends thought he had in mind. We are sorry to see him go, and, as do all his friends, wish him good luck in his new field. In securing the services of "Bert." Robb the Bellefonte Trust Company has taken on one of the best young men in town and one whose past record warrants the prediction that he will "make good."

COUNTRY CLUB MEETING

Re-election of Officers and Sports Precede Annual Dinner.

The annual meeting of the Country Club was held on Saturday, and resulted in the re-election of Colonel J. L. Spangler, president; R. B. Freeman, of Tyrone, vice president, and George R. Meek, secretary and treasurer. No change was made in the personnel of the Board of Governors. Henry C. Quigley won the blue rock shoot, scoring 84 out of a possible 100. R. B. Freeman was second high man. In the evening the members sat down to a dinner, which was quite in keeping with the club's high standard.

Among the out-of-town members attending the meeting and dinner were the following from Tyrone: J. K. Johnston, Superintendent of the Tyrone division of the Pennsylvania railroad; Mr. Freeman, John G. Anderson, F. W. Acklin, C. E. Poorman and W. H. Scullin. Mr. Johnston made the trip in his private car. Mr. Freeman and several others remained over night at the clubhouse, returning to Tyrone on Sunday afternoon.

Recovering From Accident.

We are glad to note that David Pratt, a son of Riley Pratt, of Unionville, is rapidly recovering from the injuries sustained by being thrown out of a buggy a short time ago. With his many friends we hope he will soon be about again.

The Man From Home

By BOOTH TARKINGTON and HARRY LEON WILSON

A Novelization of the Play of the Same Name

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SYNOPSIS.

The first chapters of "The Man From Home" appeared in last week's issue of "The Republican," copies of which may be secured at this office. The story, in the first chapters, relates how Daniel Voorhees Pike, a rising young Kokono (Ind) lawyer, hears that his ward, Ethel Granger-Simpson, is to be married abroad to the son of English earl. Her father was his nearest friend, and he has long loved the girl. He goes abroad to arrange with her the business matters connected with her marriage. Ethel Granger Simpson and her brother, Horace, have become anglomaniacs and are spending much of their late father's fortune in travel and entertaining. They become intimate with with Lady Creech, the Earl of Hawcastle, his son, Almeric St. Aubyn, and Comtess de Champigny, an adventuress and associate of the earl's. They are at a hotel at Sorrento, Italy, and Ethel promises to marry the son because she craves a title.

Continued from last week.

Ribiere looked at him with grave astonishment and bent once more to his notebook, over which the pen flew with a practiced hand.

"Why?" he said shortly.

Mariano smothered his mirth with the napkin he carried and with an effort controlled himself.

"Becoss," he answered—"becoss I have thought that madame the comtesse is so good a friend of the ol' English Milor' Hawcastle. A maitre d'hotel see many things, eh, and I think Milor' Hawcastle and madame have known each other from long perhaps. This dejeuner is for them; also I think from what I hear that both have been in Russia one time. They spik togezzer in Russ."

"Pouf! They will not recognize my employer," said Ribiere, "no more than this North American who travels with him and who is as innocent as a babe. Set dejeuner on the table instantly, when he shall arrive, for two—a perch, petit pois, iced figs, tea. I will send his own caviare and vodka from what I carry."

"Va bene, signor!" answered Mariano and vanished into the hotel.

CHAPTER IV.

STRANGE NEWS.

THE Earl of Hawcastle was nearly at the end of his financial rope. And yet to look at him as he entered upon the terrace from the lemon grove no one would have thought that a care in the world possessed him.

Added to the natural calm demeanor of the Englishman of station was a certain self possession gained by years of standing on the brink of events, and, while this brilliant morning his cares had hung even a little more heavily upon him than was his desire, yet he gave no outward hint of any troubles that beset him.

He was a well preserved man of fifty-six, with close cropped iron gray hair and a straight cut military mustache that hid certain cruel lines in his mouth and softened the severe lineaments. He carried himself with an erectness that bespoke pride in race, if not in deeds of his own. He was distinguished with that curious individuality that causes those in the street to nudge one another and ask in whispers who another may be, and he was unmistakably high bred.

True, his sense of honor that would balk at cheating in a card game or the larceny of a traveling bag was not sufficient to debar him from conniving at the attachment of a young and helpless girl's money with the foreknowledge of a lifelong misery for her as the consequence.

This morning he was clad in an immaculate suit of lightly striped white flannel, with carefully pipeclayed shoes and the pale rose necktie that he wore was a living monument to the fact that the well groomed Englishman knows no peer on earth, while the jaunty exactness of his snowy panama hat was a revelation in proper headgear.

As he entered the terrace his alert glance swept it from end to end, and he noted that there was no one about. He moved at once to the table that Mariano had set for him, and at the instant he sat down Michele ran down the steps of the hotel with a folded newspaper in his hand which he presented to milord with a low bow. Mariano entered bearing a coffee tray, and the earl greeted him with a cheerful good morning which Mariano acknowledged as one would a favor from a king.

"Milor' is serve," he announced with soft accents and took the hat and light walking stick, bestowing them with reverential care upon a side table. As the earl unfolded Il Mattino he glanced up.

"No English papers?" he said.

"Milor', the mail is late," answered Michele and bowed himself up the stairs.

"Also Mme. de Champigny," growled the earl as he glanced down the unfamiliar pages.

As he spoke the countess, clad in the very latest Parisian creation, swept down the steps and approached the table. She looked well, and she knew it.

Apparently about thirty-two, she would probably have confessed to five years more under pressure, but her dark beauty was well set off by the light colors she affected, and the tilt of her parasol revealed more to the capable eye of an observer than a ream of self description or admission.

She was of that type that causes the elderly dowager of any race to regard her with suspicion and to gather her male entourage beneath the protecting wings. Mme. de Champigny, raising her hand with a little gesture of greeting, paused an instant as she stood at the top of the steps and cried softly:

"Me voici!"

The earl jumped to his feet and bowed, inquiring at the same time:

"My esteemed relative is still asleep?"

The countess swept forward to her chair, which Hawcastle pulled out for her, and murmured:

"I trust your beautiful son has found much better employment — as our hearts would wish him, eh?"

Hawcastle laughed shortly and mirthlessly.

"He has. He's off on a canter with the little American."

Whereat the demure countess clapped her daintily gloved hands together and cried softly:

"Brava!"

That they were old friends, these two, was to be seen at a glance. There was no inquiring as to each other's tastes and dislikes. It was evident that long association had ingrained an intimate knowledge of the other into the mind of each, and they met as good comrades without more than perfunctory courtesy. The earl went on as he reseated himself.

"I didn't mean Almeric, however, Helene, but my august sister-in-law." Without further comment he turned to the paper again and read. The amiable countess smiled at him enigmatically and broke a roll with the gesture of an empress.

"The amiable Lady Hermione Trevelyan Creech has dejeuner in her apartments. What do you find to read, mon cher?"

Hawcastle threw the paper down upon the cloth with an exclamation.

"I'm such a duffer at Italian," he said, "but apparently the people along the coast are having a scare over an escaped convict, a Russian."

The hovering Mariano, who was flitting about the table like a wounded sparrow, started slightly and hesitated with a silver cover in his hand, then stepped forward.

"If milor will pardon me"— The countess also started and put down her fork with a slight rattle.

"A Russian?" she ejaculated.

"Yes," grumbled the earl. "An escaped Russian bandit has been traced to Castellamare"— He paused to insert the choicest bit of melon in his mouth, and Mariano's jaw dropped with the excitement.

"Castellamare—not twelve kilometers from here!" he whispered in awestruck tones, and the earl continued when he had masticated the fruit:

"And a confidential agent—secret service man, I dare say—has requested his arrest from the Italian authorities. But, to quote from our grandiose Il Mattino, 'the brigand tore himself from the hands of the carabinieri,' or something like that. I can't be sure, but it read to me"—

Mariano broke in excitedly. He had picked up the paper and was devouring it with avidity.

"If milor' permit, and madame"—he bowed like an automaton—"I shall translate."

"Quite right, Mariano," said the earl and the maitre d'hotel went on avidly.

"The brigan' tore himself," he read excitedly, "from the hand of the carabinieri, and without the doubts he conceal himself in some of these grotte near Sorrento, and searchment is being execute'. The agent of the Russian embassy have inform' the bureau that this escape one is a mos' in-fray-mose robber and danger brigan'."

"What name does the paper say he has?" interrupted Mme. de Champigny with a catch of her breath, and Mariano bowed again jerkily in her direction.

"It has not to say, madame," he replied. "That is all. And will milor' and Mme. la Comtesse excuse me? And may I take the journal? There is one who should see it."

Hawcastle smiled slightly at his excitement and nodded.

"Very well, Mariano," he said, and Mariano, with another jerk that was supposed to include both of the illustrious ones, disappeared with a speediness that was alarming. For an instant there was silence, and then the countess, with a quick upward glance of her dark eyes, said tremblingly:

"I should like much to know his name."

The earl smiled and went on with his breakfast.

"You may be sure it isn't Ivanoff," he said, but the assurance did not seem to carry weight with madame, for she leaned her chin in her hand and looked off over the bay, and there was a troubled look in her eyes.

CHAPTER V.

THE ENGAGEMENT.

"HOW can one know it is not Ivanoff?" she asked slowly, and this time the earl laughed aloud.

"He wouldn't be called an infamous brigand," he said, but the countess waved her hand.

"That, my friend, may be only Italian journalism."

"Pooh!" said Hawcastle. "This means a highwayman—not—not an embezzler, Helene."

The countess arose from the table and moved about restlessly with her eyes on the blue expanse.

"I should be glad to believe it, my good friend, but I—I care for no more to eat. I have perhaps some foolish feeling of unsafety. It is now two nights that I dream of him—of Ivanoff—bad dreams for us both, my friend."

The earl looked up in amazement and then burst into a laugh.

"What rot!" he exclaimed. "It takes more than a dream to bring a man back from Siberia."

The countess looked at him with some sharpness.

"Then I pray there has been no more

A young girl followed by three picturesque banditti.

thing but a clumsy oaf he'd have made her settle it weeks ago."

The woman turned her dark eyes upon him with a flash.

"You are invidious, mon ami. My affair is not settled. Am I a clumsy oaf too?"

The earl laughed quietly.

"No, Helene. Your little American is so in love with you that if you asked him suddenly, 'Horace, is this day or night?' he would answer, 'It's Helene.' But he's too shy to speak. You're a woman; you can't press matters. But Almeric's a man; he can. He can urge an immediate marriage, which means an immediate settlement and a direct one."

Mme. de Champigny picked up a silver fork from the table and examined it carefully.

"It will not be small—that settlement? You have decided what sum?"

Hawcastle looked up sharply and nodded with decision.

"I have—a hundred and fifty thousand pounds!"

"A RUSSIAN!" SHE EJACULATED.

than dreams," she murmured quietly.

Even as she spoke there came the tinkling sound of the mandolins and guitars, and madame turned to the lemon grove in time to see a young girl in a fawn colored riding habit, with a soft felt hat upon her head and a riding crop in her gauntleted hands, enter, followed by three picturesque banditti with the instruments.

As she reached the terrace she paused and drew from her glove some silver which she dropped into the hand of the first villain with a laugh. Then she turned, smiling, as the musicians withdrew and waved her crop at the two who were watching her. The earl arose with a bow, and madame advanced with outstretched hand.

"Ah, the divine Miss Granger-Simpson!" said Newcastle with raillery in his tones, and the girl laughed with a happy, care free face.

"The divinely happy Miss Granger-Simpson," she said, and at the sound of her voice and the look in her eyes the countess ran to her and kissed her rapturously upon each cheek.

"Oh, I hope you mean"— she began, when Hawcastle interrupted her with some excitement.

"You mean you have made my son divinely happy?"

The girl extricated herself laughingly from the embrace of the countess and turned to the earl.

"Is not every one divinely happy at Sorrento," she cried, waving her crop, "even your son?" and with another laugh ran quickly up the steps and into the hotel, leaving the other two looking at each other with astonishment.

As they looked a piano from the music room that opened upon the terrace broke forth with Chaminade's "Elevation," and Ethel's voice took up the words clearly. The countess turned to her companion.

"She flies to her piano, mon cher. Ah, that is good for our little enterprise, eh? Listen!"

Hawcastle sat down with a grunt of satisfaction.

"It's time! If Almeric had been any-

From the countess came a gasp of astonishment.

"My friend! Will she?" And she turned and stared at the room where the piano was still playing. Hawcastle laughed grimly.

"Not for Almeric, but to be the Countess of Hawcastle. My ancient sister-in-law hasn't been her chaperon for a year for nothing. And, by Jove, she hasn't done it for nothing, either!"

And this time he laughed quite heartily as with a grim appreciation of the jest.

"But she's deserved all I shall allow her," he resumed. "You see, it was

"She accepted me."

she who found these people. Indeed, we might say that both you and I owe her something. Even a less captious respectability than Lady Creech's might have looked askance at the long 'friendship' that has existed between us. Yet she has always countenanced us, my dear, though she must have guessed a great many things. And she will help us to urge an immediate marriage. You know as well as I do that unless it is immediate there'll be the devil to pay. Don't miss that essential. Something must be done at once. We're at the breaking point, if you like the words—a most dampable insolvency."

As he finished speaking the immaculate and vacuous Almeric himself strolled into the terrace and, putting up his glass as he came forward, said softly:

"Hello, governor! Howdy, countess!"

With an affectation of boredom he sprawled into a chair and tapped at his boots with his crop.

"Out riding a bit ago, you know, with Miss Granger-Simpson. Rippin' girl, isn't she?"

His father leaned across the table with tension in every line of him.

"Go on!" he said anxiously, and Almeric looked up at him with a silly smile.

"Didn't stop with her, though."

"Why not?" demanded the earl angrily.

"A sort of man in the village got me to look at a bull terrier pup," Almeric went on, with a yawn. "Wonderful little beast for points. Jolly luck, isn't it? He has got a head on him"—

Hawcastle interrupted savagely.

"We'll concede his tremendous advantage over you in that respect," he said and threw the cigar he had just lighted into the coffee cup.

"Is that all you have to tell us?" implored the countess, with a dramatic gesture, leaning forward. Almeric looked up with surprise.

"Oh, no!" he said. "She accepted me."

The earl dropped into a chair with a sigh of relief, and the countess clasped her hands ecstatically.

"Enfin! Brava! And will she let it be soon?"

Again Almeric stifled a yawn.

"I dare say there'll be no row about that," he replied. "You see, I've made her awf'ly happy."

"On my soul, I believe you're right," said Hawcastle, "and thank God you are!"

Rising, he walked up and down the terrace and then turned quickly.

"Here's her brother," he said softly. "Attention now!"

CHAPTER VI.

EASY PREY.

USUALLY when a man through inclination or environment decides that the manners of his people will not serve for him and that the customs of the land of his adoption are more applicable to his purpose he outdoes even the natives in his conformation to the existing modes.

Horace Granger-Simpson—the Granger was but a recent innovation due to the belief that Simpson by itself was altogether too hopelessly plebeian to attract even a modicum of attention—had consorted with the gilded youth of several capitals, and his education had progressed to such an extent that the youth of Kokomo would have stoned him instantly upon his arrival at the town depot.

He ambled with a rocking gait, drawn from the guardsmen he had so carefully watched, down the steps of the hotel on to the terrace, and his attire would have attracted notice from a Hindoo idol. He wore spotlessly white flannels, white shoes pipeclayed to a dazzling degree, a thoroughly British straw hat, chamois gloves and a pale blue scarf held together with a massive pearl.

For an instant Mme. la Comtesse looked at him and then, with a little cry of greeting, rushed toward the steps and took both his startled hands.

"Ah, my dear Horace Granger-Seempson!" she said excitedly. "Has your sister told you?"

Horace swallowed once or twice savagely and then made a heroic effort to keep down the radiance that was choking him, made two effectual dabs at his eyes with the handkerchief he took from his sleeve and responded joyfully, though brokenly:

"She has, indeed. I assure you I am quite overcome, my dear friends. Really, I assure you."

With a silvery laugh Mme. de Champigny stepped backward from him, making a little courtesy as she did so. The earl came forward with outstretched hands and grasped one of Horace's between both his own.

"My dear young friend," he said. "Not at all—not at all."

As the remark seemed a trifle ambiguous, Horace looked at him inquiringly, but, reading reassurance in his face, replied instantly:

"I assure you I am. I assure you I am. It's quite overpowering, isn't it?"

With a look of commiseration the countess regarded him and said softly:

"Ah, poor M. Horace!"

From his sprawled attitude in the chair the honorable Almeric drawled a protest.

"I say! Don't take it that way, you know. She's very happy."

Horace recovered himself instantly and crossed the terrace quickly to grasp the hand of the bridegroom to be. The fact that it was as limp as a mackerel did not worry him an instant.

"She's worthy of it—she's worthy of it! I know she is! And when will it be, St. Aubyn?" he said.

"Enchanting!" cried the countess enthusiastically. "So clear is his grasp of the case, eh?"

Hawcastle flashed her a glance and turned to Horace.

"Oh, the date?" he said doubtfully. "I dare say within a year—two years"—

There was another little cry of protest from the countess, and the earl glared at her menacingly. Horace started, too, and seemed to be about to enter a positive objection, but he contented himself with saying:

"Oh, but I say, you know, isn't that putting it jolly far off? The thing's settled, isn't it? Why not say a month instead of a year?"

"Ha-hum!" said the earl. "Oh, if you like! I don't know that there is any real objection."

"I do, indeed," returned Horace. "See here! Why not let them marry here in Italy?"

Hawcastle could scarcely conceal his satisfaction, while Mme. de Champigny executed a bit of a pas seul behind Horace's back.

"Ah, the dashing methods of you Americans!" returned the earl smilingly. "You carry things on so! Next you'll be saying, 'Why not here at Sorrento?'"

"Well, and why not, indeed?" asked Horace instantly.

"And then," went on Hawcastle, smiling, "and then it will be, 'Why not within a fortnight?'"

"Right-o!" cried Horace. "And why not within a fortnight?"

Almeric sat up and stared at his noble father and brother-in-law to be, but the earl smiled once more that cheerful smile and waved a deprecating hand.

"Ah, you wonderful people! You are whirlwinds, yet I see no reason why it should not be in a fortnight."

"Oh, here! I say, you know!" interjected Almeric, heaving himself erect in the chair and waving a protesting crop. The earl turned on him instantly.

"As I say, dear boy, why not?" he inquired suavely, and Almeric wilted immediately.

"Just as you say, governor," he answered meekly.

"Enchanting! Brava!" cried the countess, and Hawcastle again turned to the palpitating Horace.

"My son is all impatience," he murmured, fixing the young man with his eye.

"Quite so, quite so!" answered Almeric dazedly, and his father went on:

"Shall we dispose of the necessary little details at once—the various minor arrangements, the—er—er—settlement?" and interrupted himself with a friendly laugh and patted Horace upon the back. "Of course as men of the world—our world—you understand there are formalities in the nature of a settlement."

Horace, who was in the seventh heaven of delight at the approaching alliance between one of the ancient houses of Kokomo, Ind., and the honorable line of Hawcastle, broke in eagerly:

"Quite so, of course! I know! Certainly! Perfectly!"

"Then we'll have no difficulty about that, my boy. I'll wire my solicitor tonight and he'll be here within two days," said the earl carelessly. "If you wish to consult your own solicitor you can cable him, of course."

Suddenly Horace seemed taken with a fit of embarrassment.

"The fact is, Lord Hawcastle," he said, "I've a notion that our solicitor—Ethel's man of business, that is—from Kokomo, Ind., where our governor lived—in fact, a sort of guardian of hers—may be here at any time. I've heard from friends that he is coming in this direction."

The word had caught Hawcastle's attention, and he leaped at it.

"A sort of guardian? What sort, eh?" he inquired, seemingly taken aback.

"I really can't say," replied Horace apologetically. "Never saw him that I know of. You see, we've been on this side so many years, and there's been no occasion for this fellow to look us up, but he's never opposed anything Ethel wrote for. He seems to be an easy going old chap."

"Hum!" said Hawcastle doubtfully. "Would he consent to your sister's marriage—or the matter of a settlement?"

Horace laughed cheerfully.

"I have no doubt of it. If he has the slightest sense of duty toward my sister he'll be the first to welcome the alliance, won't he?"

"Then when he and my solicitor come they can have an evening together over a lot of musty papers, and the thing will be done. Again, my boy, I welcome you to our family. God bless you!"

He wrung Horace's hand again and turned away as if to hide his emotion, but really to wink at the countess.

"I'm overpowered, you know—really overpowered, you know," stammered Horace, fanning himself desperately with his hat.

"Come, Almeric," said the earl, and as the youthful heir to his house arose languidly he sidled close to the countess and whispered in her ear:

"Let him know it's a hundred and fifty thousand."

Then he and Almeric went up the steps into the hotel, leaving Horace and the countess gazing at each other delightedly.

She crossed over to him impulsively and, taking both his hands again, said:

"My friend, I am happy for you."

"Think of it!" said Horace joyously. "In a fortnight at the most dear old Ethel will be the Hon. Mrs. St. Aubyn, future Countess of Hawcastle!"

"Yes," replied the countess, withdrawing her hands and picking up her parasol, "and there is but the little arrangement of the settlement between your advocate and Lord Hawcastle's. But you Americans—you laugh at such things. You are big, so big, like your country!"

Horace followed her across the terrace to the wall.

"Ah, believe me, dear countess," he said, "the great world—your world, countess—has thoroughly alienated me."

The countess turned her shapely head and looked at him admiringly and with a touch of irony at the surprise she was about to give him.

"Ah, you retain one quality. You are careless, you are free," and she laid her right hand upon his arm, and Horace thrilled at the intimate touch.

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SIRES AND SONS.

Lord Brassey, the great English authority on naval matters, is seventy-two years old, but he is devoting himself to studying German.

Captain George Kimball of North Dubuque, Ia., who is seventy-six years old, is the father of twenty-three children, the youngest of whom was presented May 27 by his fourth wife, who is nineteen years old.

When Dr. Francis Edward Clark, founder of the Christian Endeavor society, was asked the other day who gave the society its name he replied: "I wish I knew definitely. The name seemed to come to me instinctively. Still, I may have heard it and used it unconsciously."

Henry C. Thurston of Mount Vernon, Tex., who attended the late reunion of Confederate veterans in Memphis, is seventy-seven years old, seven feet seven inches in height, weighs 223 pounds and has never been disabled even for a day except by wounds received in the civil war.

Fred D. Contiss, the new president of the Chicago Stock Exchange, is one of the youngest presidents the organization ever had. He is a member of the firm of S. B. Chapin & Co. and began his business career as a messenger in the Merchants' National bank. He is only thirty-seven years old.

James Simon, the most noted Hebrew in Germany, is a great friend of the kaiser, is head of the German Oriental society, is president of the Federated Jewish Organizations and an active spirit in everything connected with Jewish affairs. He has a magnificent home and is one of Germany's leading dry goods merchants.

Church and Clergy.

The two Methodist conferences in Germany are raising $500 a year for five years to found a missionary press in Algiers to print literature in Arabic, the native Kabyle and other languages.

A tablet in memory of the Rev. Dr. Edmund Slafter has been erected in Trinity church, Boston. Dr. Slafter was for many years registrar of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Massachusetts.

The Rev. A. P. Camphor, president of Central Alabama college, has been elected field secretary of the board of foreign missions of the Methodist Episcopal church to look after the colored conferences.

The Right Rev. Dr. Frederick J. Kinsman, the new Episcopal bishop of Delaware, in his first address to a diocesan convention endeared himself to many a country rector by coming out flatly with the declaration that "the minimum salary of a minister should be $1,000 a year and a house."

College and School.

William C. Doyle, formerly a physical director at Yale university, has been appointed an athletic supervisor at the University of Iowa and has accepted the appointment.

As the head of the new graduate college of Cornell university the trustees have appointed one of the youngest professors, Ernest George Merritt, of the department of physics.

Sir Augustus Waller, professor of physiology at the University of London, will go to the University of California to deliver the Hitchcock series of lectures next college year. He will arrive there for the course on Sept. 18.

Superintendent of Schools Vernon L. Davey of East Orange, N. J., will allow no more cloth towels to be used in the schools. In their stead he will substitute paper towels made of tough manila paper. These cost but a small fraction of a cent each.

English Etchings.

Over 47,000 lives have been saved by the Royal National Lifeboat institution.

It was in order to meet the cost of the French war in 1798 that the income tax was first imposed in England.

There are close upon 130 holders of titles of long standing nobility who are not members of the house of lords, their peerages being those of Scotland or Ireland only.

A memorial has just been erected in Kensington cemetery, London, to the memory of Admiral Sir Francis Leopold McClintock, the arctic explorer and discoverer of the lost Franklin expedition.

Law Points.

The right of the court to surcharge an executor's account for overpayment of counsel fees without an exception by some interested person before it is denied in re Stitzel, 221 Pa., 227; 70 Atl., 749; 18 L. R. A. (N. S.), 284.

A provision in a policy insuring against loss of time from sickness, requiring notice of the sickness to be given to the insurer within ten days of its beginning, is held in Craig versus United States H. and A. Ins. Co., 80 S. C., 151; 61 S. E., 423; 18 L. R. A. (N. S.), 106, to be reasonable.

German Gleanings.

German soil feeds nine-tenths of her people.

There are 397 members in the German reichstag.

Germany has become the greatest producer of cocoa butter in the world.

Each German army corps possesses two observation and four signal balloons.

It is said that in the last five years the membership of temperance societies in Germany has more than doubled.

Wood Strength.

The strength of wood increases with its density.

Magnesia.

The close affinity of magnesium for oxygen is sufficient to cause it easily to absorb oxygen from the air and change it slowly into a white, powdery oxide of magnesium that is known as magnesia.

Rain In Siberia.

Siberia has sixty days of rain each year on the average.

Food For Pet Owls.

Young owls are easily raised on fresh meat, says St. Nicholas. Up to the age of four or five weeks beef and mutton finely chopped make a good food. After that mice, rats and English sparrows, served whole, are in great demand and come nearest their natural food. These, if not too large, they will swallow whole.

The Dragon Fly.

The "devil's darning needle" is the popular name of several species of the dragon fly. They are so called from their cylindrical bodies, resembling needles. They are not poisonous.

Ceylon's Pearl Banks.

The pearl banks of Ceylon date back to the sixth century before Christ. It is recorded that Vijaya, the first Cingalese king of Ceylon, in the year 550 B. C. presented his father-in-law, the Pandyan king of Madura, "a gift of pearls," thus indicating a settled fishery for pearls on the coast of his dominions prior to the historic date.

Republic of Andorra.

An equivalent of $15 a year is the salary paid to the president of the republic of Andorra, in the Pyrenees. This is the smallest salary paid to the head of any government.

Crops of Tea.

There are three crops of tea. The first or spring crop is gathered about April 20, the second or summer crop about May 20 and the third or "even flower" crop about June 30. The bulk of the yield is moved to the seaports promptly after gathering, and export to the United States and other countries continues throughout the year.

Largest Tobacco Farm.

On the largest tobacco farm in the world, a 250,000 acre affair near Amsterdam, Ga., is grown about a third of all the Sumatra tobacco used for cigar wrappers in the United States.

A Curious Language.

The Yana language of northern California represents a distinct linguistic stock and had formerly three dialects, one of which is now extinct. It possesses two forms of speech, one of which is employed by men speaking to men, while the other is used in all other cases. Practically the language has only nouns and verbs, the adjectives, adverbs, numerals, interrogative pronouns and conjunctions being formed from the verbs.

Ancient Wigs.

Wigs were worn by the Egyptians and Syrians.

Our Cities.

In this country there are 158 cities with populations exceeding 30,000. Of these fifteen have over 300,000 inhabitants, twenty-seven have between 100,000 and 300,000, forty-eight have between 50,000 and 100,000 and sixty-eight have less than 50,000.

Pineapple Rind.

The knife used for peeling a pineapple should never be used for slicing it, as the rind contains an acid that is apt to cause a swollen mouth and sore lips.

A Wonderful Clock.

San Diego, Cal., has a wonderful clock with twenty dials, which tell simultaneously the time in all parts of the world; also the days of the week and the date and month. It stands twenty-one feet high, and four of its dials are each four feet in diameter.

Sepia.

When pursued the sepia cuttlefish pours out a brown inky fluid in large quantities in order to cover its flight. From this the pigment sepia is obtained.

The Old Oak Tree.

Grafton boasts of having the oldest tree in Massachusetts. It is known as the old oak tree and is in front of the Frederick Farnum residence on Ash street. It is said that John Eliot held meetings of his band of praying Indians under this tree.

New Guinea Brides.

In New Guinea the bride cuts off her long hair after the wedding ceremony.

The Roumanian Crown.

The Roumanian crown is made of metal from Turkish cannon captured at Plevna in 1877, is not covered with a thin layer of gold and enamel like the Servian crown, but has an unadorned circlet of steel.

The Nostrils.

Man is the only animal whose nostrils open downward. Even in the highest apes the nostrils open to the front.

Man Eating Tigers.

Once a tiger has taken to man eating it confines itself to that kind of food. In many parts of India the death roll from this cause is still very large.

Silent Barbers.

At one time barbers were not permitted to talk when shaving customers.

Wifely Pride.

There is no telling what quaint turns wifely pride and devotion may take. Sir Melvill Beachcroft, while waiting in a tenement house for the occupant of the first floor to admit him, chanced to overhear two women conversing on the stairs.

One remarked that her husband always wore a clean shirt every Sunday morning.

"Well, now," responded the other, "I never cares about Sundays, but I allays do see that 'e 'as a clean shirt Saturday afternoons, 'cos that's the time 'e is generally drinking, and when 'e does take 'is coat off to fight I do like to know 'e looks nice and clean."—M. A. P.

At the Telephone.

Dear, from this distance far
Thy face I cannot see,
But distance is no bar
'Twixt such as thee and me.
So at the telephone
Contented I may be
To kiss the air alone
That lately hath kissed thee.

(This sort of lighter line
That maidens all adore—
Since to their hearts like wine
Its liquid measures soar—
All poets quickly pen,
And, whether bad or worst,
We all know how since when
Old Herrick did it first!)
—Arthur Stanley Riggs in Puck.

Getting a Line on Him.

"You want to marry young Fritter, eh? Well, what's his batting average?"

"Why, pa, I didn't know he was a ball player."

"Oh, I don't mean that. How many days per month is he on the bench?"—Boston Globe.

Fooled the Bees.

There was a pretty little maid who wore
a beehive hat,
So natural its flowers and so realistic
that
One day when she was rambling through
a posy garden red
A swarm of bees surrounded her and settled on her head.
Ye stars and little fishes! That maid will ne'er forget!
She tore her hat asunder, and they say she's running yet.
—Chicago News.

Recommendation.

Mrs. Handout—I would like to know whether you are a trustworthy character.

Dusty Stryper—Why, lady, at the last place I worked they called me a trusty!—Puck.

The Summer Girl.

"Where are you going, my pretty maide?"
"I'm going to love you, sir," she saide.

"Why do you want to, my pretty maide?"
"Oh, I don't want to, sir," she saide.

"Then why should you do it, my pretty maide?"
"Simply for practice, sir," she saide.
—W. J. Lampton in Lippincott's Magazine.

Decoy Eggs.

John, aged six, was sent by his mother to the chicken coop for some eggs. He soon returned with the report:

"There ain't no eggs in the nests at all 'cept the ones they copies from."—Delineator.

A Warning.

When you go into the country
Upon a picnic merry
Don't sit on poison ivy.
Be very careful, very,
For poison ivy's dreadful.
There's nothing quite can match it.
It irritates so fiercely
You're simply mad to scratch it.
—Boston Globe.

If He Gets the Ague.

Madge—Edith is surely not going to marry that living skeleton of a man. He's nothing but skin and bones.

Tess—Why not? He'll make her a rattling husband.—Boston Transcript.

What to Expect.

When charming woman has her "rights"
She'll 'lectioneer and stay out nights.
Naught can her high ambition throttle.
And man, who stays at home to nurse
The baby, will his woes rehearse
And fly for comfort to the bottle.
—Eben E. Rexford in Judge.

A Trouble Hunter.

"How do you know Bliggins enjoys trouble?"

"Because he'd rather be the umpire in a baseball game than one of the players."—Washington Star.

Information Wanted.

We don't care "why" is this and that
Or through such queries wade,
But will some one please answer this:
Why is pink lemonade?
—Minneapolis Journal.

A Method.

"How did Bluffard Shucks get the reputation of being an original wit?"

"By saying something utterly nonsensical as if he seriously believed it."—Denver Republican.

The Finest Scheme.

Now, here's the very finest scheme
That ever met your sight.
With "skeeters" let us cross the fish
And then see how they'll bite.
—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Confused.

She—Of course I'm not as old as you think I am.

He—I hope not—I mean you can't be—that is—how old are you?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Chicanery.

I'm so compassionate in bridge,
I really should eschew it,
For when I ought to trump a trick
I've not the heart to do it.
—Yale Record.

Absorbed.

"Enjoy the scenery?"

"Didn't see it."

"Not seasick?"

"No; bridge."—Smart Set.

She Has a Mission.

She has beauty and wealth,
She has culture and position,
But she's still a spinster,
Because she has a "mission."
—Detroit Free Press.

The Pitt Diamond.

While Pitt, the grandfather of Lord Chatham, was governor of Fort St. George in 1698 he became acquainted with a jewel merchant named Jamchund, who brought a diamond of great size for sale. He asked £30,000 for it in the rough. It should, of course, have been bought on behalf of the company, but Pitt, seeing money in it, could not resist the temptation of making a private bargain. He became the possessor of the stone for the sum of £20,400, and he was quite satisfied that he had behaved honorably when he paid the man, who on his part was also content. But the diamond was known to be worth more than Jamchund had received, and the transaction gave rise to a good deal of gossip, which in no way decreased when later on Pitt had the stone cut in England and sold it to the regent of France for £135,000. Even that enormous sum did not represent its true value. The stone was set in the royal crown of France. It weighed 410 carats in the rough, but the cutting reduced it to 136 carats.—Mrs. Penney's "Fort St. George, Madras."

Taunting Him.

It was housecleaning time, and Mr. Stubb was removing the dusty pictures from the walls. The frames slipped, the stepladder creaked ominously, and the perspiration rolled from Mr. Stubb's brow. In the humor to bite a nail in half, he turned and discovered Mrs. Stubb laughing.

"That's it!" he roared as the stepladder swayed. "Laugh and show your gold teeth."

And still she laughed.

"Do you think there is anything funny in my moving these pictures?" he spluttered in fiery tones.

"No, indeed, John," said Mrs. Stubb soothingly; "but, you know, you look so funny it looks like a moving picture show."

Then Mr. Stubb swallowed a pint of dust and simply fumed.—Chicago News.

Wrong Diagnosis.

A song with the title "There's a Sigh In the Heart" was sent by a young man to his sweetheart, but the paper fell into the hands of the girl's father, a very unsentimental physician, who exclaimed:

"What wretched, unscientific stuff is this? Who ever heard of such a case?"

He wrote on the outside:

"Mistaken diagnosis; no sigh in the heart possible. Sighs relate almost entirely to the lungs and diaphragm!"

Lucky.

Little Walter was whispering into the ear of his dog.

"What are you saying to Rover, dear?" asked his mother.

"Oh, I was just telling him how lucky he was," replied Walter, "'cause he didn't have to have his neck washed and his hair combed or go to school."—Chicago News.

An Infliction.

"Your tickets were complimentary, were they not?"

"Well," replied the man who had been a painfully amateur entertainment, "I thought they were until I saw the show."

Social Progress.

"The Pilters are getting on rapidly, aren't they?"

"Indeed, yes. They used to employ a washerwoman, but now they have a laundress."—Woman's Home Companion.

Why He Is Solid.

"How can you tell he is solid with the firm? Does he come in late and go away early?"

"No; he comes in early and goes away late."—Buffalo Express.

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FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

Are You Sick?

Much sickness is due to a weak nervous system. Yours may be. If it is, you cannot get well until you restore nerve strength Your nervous system is nature's power house; the organs of your body get their power from it. If the power is not there, the action of the organs is weak, and disease (sickness) follows. Dr. Miles' Nervine cures the sick because it soothes the irritated and tired nerves and gives the system a chance to recuperate. Try it, and see if you do not quickly feel its beneficial effect.

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JOHN JAMES, Riverton, Nebr.

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Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind

COURT HOUSE PLANS

Proposed Improvments Will Beautify Rear of Building.

Completed plans for the improvements to be made at the Court House show much artistic merit. The new eastern front, modeled after the present western front of the building, will add greatly to the general appearance and at the same time solve some difficult problems in construction. The estimated cost of the improvements is about $60,000.

It has been a serious question in the past with the various boards of commissioners, who have considered any alterations to the structure, as to what could be done with the rear or eastern portion. Mr. Harris of Philadelphia, the architect, whose father was formerly a resident of Bellefonte, has met this problem by taking the rear embankment of the excavation around the Court House as the basement wall of the new east front, and plans for the erection of a subordinate front on the second floor level. This eastern front will be set off by a pavement extending the entire width fronting toward the jail.

The space between the jail and the new building will be further improved as a park by the construction of a fountain in the centre, the planting of additional trees and shrubbery, and some changes in the present walks. The high wall around the court house will be torn down and the embankments terraced, both to avoid the present appearance of a "hole in the ground" and to give additional light.

The proposed large grand jury room will have all the necessary conveniences for the accomodation of the jurors together with a room for their witnesses. It is located on the first floor with easy access to the court room, and its situation will do away with much of the present disturbance in court when witnesses are summoned. This room can also be used as an extra court or arbitration room. The traverse jurors will also find lavatories connected with their rooms and everything more convenient for their sessions.

A retiring room and office for the judge is provided for, as well as offices for the district attorney, thus aiding in the despatch of business before the court. One of the principal features of decoration in the new building will be the memorial hall and library. This room is designed not only as a proper law library, but as a place to preserve the more sentimental records of the county's history. Part of the decorative scheme consists of the hanging in this room of portraits of all the former judges of the county.

The real purpose of these improvements is for the better preservation of the county records, and this will be done by building a new commissioners vault in the rear addition of double the present capacity. By turning their present vault over to the Register and Recorder's suite of offices, and by including the present janitor's room in the Prothonotary's vault space, these offices are given fifty per cent more vault room. This space is also to be increased by the excavation of basement vaults under both the Prothonotary and Register's offices. With these additions vault room is provided for at least fifty years.

A proper floor will be laid in place of the present stone one, marble wainscoting will be set in the corridors and the wooden stairs will be replaced by the iron and marble construction thus making the whole building practically fireproof.

Delay in commencing treatment for a slight irregularity that could have been cured quickly by Foley's Kidney Remedy may result in a serious kidney disease. Foley's Kidney Remedy builds up the worn out tissues and strengthens these organs. Sold by C. M. Parrish.

Is Bull-fighting Doomed?

Bull-fighting in Spain, always a barbarous "sport," has in the present season proved almost as disastrous to the bulls. Since the beginning of this season, five fighters have been killed and one hundred and eleven seriously injured. This is an unprecedented number of casualties and opinion differs as to whether these are due to the greater ferocity of the bulls or to the carelessness and inexperience of the men. As three of the most celebrated matadors were among the victims, lack of expertness does not appear to explain the injuries and deaths. There is a growing public sentiment in Spain now against bull-fighting, and it may be that the so-called sport will in time be abolished. *From Leslie's Weekly.*

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GOOD CROP REPORT

Goverment Statement Justifies Early Predictions as to Results.

Analyzing the Government crop report, Shoemaker Bates & Co., of New York, in their weekly market review, say: "The most important event during the past week has unquestionably been the publication of the Goverment crop report giving the condition of the various crops as of July 1st. This report proved to be an excellent one and fully justified all reasonable anticipations concerning the outlook for this season's crops. While it is certainly true that there is still opportunity for damage to be done and the favorable results anticipated to be materially, if not radically, modified, the season has sufficiently advanced to warrant a substantial confidence in the outcome. It is not easy to over-estimate the importance to the country at this particular juncture of agricultural prosperity.

"The Government report gives the condition of the various crops as of July 1st, as follows: The condition of winter wheat was 82 4, compared with 80 7 last month; 80.6 on July 1st 1908; 78.3 on July 1-t 1907; and 85 6 on July 1st, 1906 The condition of corn was 89 3, compared with 82 8 on July 1st, 1908; 80 2 on July 1st, 1907; 87.5 on July 1st, 1906 and 87 3 on July 1st, 1905 The condition of spring wheat was 92.7, compared with 95.2 last month 89.4 on July 1st, 1908; 87 2 on July 1st, 1907; and 84 on July 1st, 1906. The total indicated wheat crop was 663,500,000 bushels, the final outcome in 1908 amounting to 664,504 000 bushels. The indicated corn crop was 3 161,174,000 bushels, the final outcome in 1908 amounting to 2,668,651,000 bushels. The amount of reserve grain in farmer's hands has fallen to abnormally low levels, and the out turn of the season's crops is of enormous consequence

Life

The poet's exclamation: "O Life! I feel thee bounding in my veins," is a joyous one. Persons that can rarely or never make it, in honesty to themselves, are among the most unfortunate. They do not live, but exist; for to live implies more than to be. To live is to be well and strong—to arise feeling equal to the ordinary duties of the day, and to retire not overcome by them—to feel life bounding in the veins. A medicine that has made thousands of people, men and women, well and strong, has accomplished a great work, bestowing their chief blessings, and that medicine is Hood's Sarsaparilla. The weak, rundown, or debilitated, from any cause, should not fail to take it. It builds up the whole system, changes existence into life, and makes life more abounding. We are glad to say these words in its favor to the readers of our columns.

Are Any Safes Burglar Proof?

Something like consternation was temporarily created in the business world recently by a cipher manuscript discovered in the possession of a burglar arrested in New York. When translated, this document appeared to be a complete guide for cracking safes, a regular manual of instruction for cracksmen. It named many of the different kinds of safes manufactured, pointed out the weak points of each, and gave a recipe for "soup," an explosive made from dynamite, warranted to shatter the strongest money box. Judging from the statements of this remarkable manuscript, no safe is secure from burglarious attack. In spite of all the many improvements made in the construction of these receptacles for valuables, only a favorable opportunity is needed by the experienced burglar to rifle them of their contents.—*From Leslie's Weekly.*

A failing tiny nerve—no larger than the finest silken thread—takes from the Heart its impulse, its power, its regularity. The Stomach also has its hidden or inside nerve. It was Dr. Shoop who first told us it was wrong to drug a weak or failing Stomach, Heart or Kidneys. His prescription—Dr. Shoop's Restorative—is directed straight for the cause of these ailments—these weak and faltering inside nerves. This, no doubt clearly explains why the Restorative has of late grown so rapidly in popularity. Druggists say that those who test the Restorative even for a few days soon become fully convinced of its wonderful merit. Anyway don't drug the organ. Treating the cause of sickness is the only sensible and successful way. Sold by C. M. Parrish.

To Marry in a Park.

Punxsutawney, July 21,—A number of Punxsutawney business men have agreed to contribute liberally towards the furnishing a home for the couple that will be married in public on the plaza, in front of the park, Wednesday, "Punxsutawney Day o' Old Home Week, Aug. 22 to 28. As yet the prospective bride and groom have not applied, but there will doubtless be a couple who will respond. First come, first served.

Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops chronic coughs that weaken the constitution and develop into consumption, but heals and strengthens the lungs. It affords comfort and relief in the worst cases of chronic bronchitis, asthma, hay fever and lung trouble. Sold by C. M. Parrish.

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Supreme Court Justice.
JUDGE ROBERT VON MOSCHZISKER, of Phila.

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J. A. STOBER, of Lancaster.

County.

Jury Commissioner,
JOHN D. DECKER, of Potter Twp.

The School Loan.

The citizens of Bellefonte are asked to empower the school board to borrow $33,000 additional for the completion of the new school building. To this end the special election, on August 17, has been called.

Candor compels the statement that severe criticism has been made of the board because the building will cost much more than was first estimated. Some of this criticism is just; much is equally unjust. "The Republican" believes that such mistakes as have been made were of the head, and not of the heart. We do not believe that any member of the board has been, or is today, acting with any object other than that of the permanent betterment of our schools. That the board erred in undertaking a project without knowing in advance what would be its actual cost is to be regretted. This is made the basis for the greater part of the criticism.

But, right or wrong, what the board has done is a thing of the past. It cannot be changed. The more serious problem is this: "What is to become of the three hundred or more children, attending this particular building, if the loan is defeated?"

This is the question which our citizens must decide at the special election. Today we have no building. If the loan is defeated there can be no new building. Defeat of the loan will not help matters; it will make a bad situation worse. There will be a partly completed building, not so much as even under roof. It will be damaged by exposure to the weather. Serious loss would be inevitable. Meanwhile three hundred children would be out of school for a year, possibly longer.

The situation is one requiring sober reflection and the best judgment of every citizen of Bellefonte. The fact that the people are to vote on the question places upon their shoulders much of the responsibility for the completion of the building. Defeat of the loan means another special election, and still another, if necessary, until the money is provided and the building completed. The citizen who wants to vote against the loan merely to "get even" with the school board, should first ask himself if he cares to become a party to keeping three hundred children out of school.

Senator Oliver's Greeting.

A letter received by the new management of "The Republican" from United States Senator George T. Oliver is deeply appreciated. Senator Oliver is the publisher of two of Pennsylvania's leading Republican newspapers. His election as United States Senator is a tribute to the newspaper profession. We rejoice with his many friends in the record he is making at Washington for the party and for himself. Senator Oliver's letter follows:

Washington, D. C. July 20, 1909.

MR. CHARLES E. DORWORTH,
Bellefonte Republican,
Bellefonte, Pa..

MY DEAR MR. DORWORTH:

I am very glad indeed to know that you have taken charge of the "Bellefonte Republican," and am sure, under your management and with your experience, the result will be not only an increased success for "The Republican," but also additional credit to yourself. With all good wishes, I remain,

Very sincerely Yours,
GEORGE T. OLIVER.

To be remembered by old friends is always a pleasure. A word of greeting from Senator Oliver is duly appreciated because we admire him as a newspaper man and value him as a personal friend.

—WE ask the indulgence of our readers that we may extend a word of appreciation of the many kind things our friends have said in wishing success to "The Republican." To the large number of persons who have paid $1 and entered their names as new subscribers, we desire to extend many thanks. If we had any doubt of the success of "The Republican," which we did not have, it would be more than dispelled by the large increase in our circulation in a single week's time. To us this is deeply gratifying. It further strengthens us in our determination to merit the many assurances of support by making "The Republican" the best newspaper in Centre County. Watch us grow!

Judge von Moschzisker.

Judge Robert von Moschzisker, the Republican nominee for Supreme Court Justice, is a young man who has made his own way in the world. There is a side to his life which appeals to all young men. We know him well. Our personal acquaintance with him extends over a period of years. We know of his work, both at the bar and on the bench. Unhesitatingly and with firm conviction that our trust and belief in him will be more than justified when he assumes a place on the Supreme Court bench, we commend Judge von Moschzisker to the Republicans of Centre County.

It is not so very long ago that Judge von Moschzisker was a student in the law office of the late Edward Shippen, in Philadelphia. He started there as an office boy. When he was admitted to the bar it was on motion of Mr. Shippen. At the age of forty he is called to the bench of the highest court in Pennsylvania.

Before being admitted to the bar young von Moschzisker, having saved up a little money, thought he would like to see something of ranch life in the far West. He tried it. Like quite a few others he found that it was costing him more than it was costing the West. Starting East he landed in Chicago without a dollar in his pocket. Most people would have telegraphed or written home for money. Not so with von Moschzisker. He examined his pockets, found them as empty as Mother Hubbard's cupboard and started out to find a position. Stranded in Chicago and looking for a position would discourage many, but it proved the mettle of von Moschzisker.

Through a want ad in a Chicago newspaper he learned that a clerkship was open in an insurance office. He applied for it, got it and in a few months was at the head of the clerical force in the office. When he had saved enough out of his earnings to supply himself with a complete new outfit and a little more beside, he resigned his position and bought a ticket back to Philadelphia. He re-entered Mr. Shippen's law office, resumed his studies and eventually had the satisfaction of being admitted to practice law. From that time down to the present von Moschzisker's career is a story of rapid progress. As an Assistant District Attorney in Philadelphia his work was a pleasant surprise to those who considered him too young for such a position. Be it said to his credit that the only criticism passed on Judge von Moschzisker, when named as Assistant District Attorney and later as a Judge of the Philadelphia courts, was that he was too young. Those who honestly believed this to be the case soon changed their verdict. Those who honestly opposed his nomination for Supreme Court Justice because they considered him too young will live to see the day when they will change their verdict, for Judge von Moschzisker has never been called to any position, no matter how responsible or how difficult, that he has not more than "made good."

When, in the months immediately preceding the Republican State convention, members of the Philadelphia bar were canvassed as to their preference for the vacancy to be created with the retirement of Justice Mitchell, sentiment was overwhelmingly in favor of Judge von Moschzisker. This was the case with lawyers identified with the reform movement in that city as well as with those allied with the Republican organization. Among the influential reformers to declare for Judge von Moschzisker were Francis A. Lewis and Vivian Frank Gable, both prominently identified with the Lincoln party in 1906. They frankly said that they favored Judge von Moschzisker because they regarded him as qualified in every way for a place on the Supreme Court bench. In the convention which chose him for the high honor Judge von Moschzisker's name was presented by Alexander Simpson, Jr., who ranks probably next to John G. Johnson as the foremost lawyer in Philadelphia.

Fully one year ago, and long before there was any talk as to who might aspire to succeed Justice Mitchell, the writer happened to be talking with Superior Court Judge Orlady, of Huntingdon. The conversation drifted to the Supreme Court and in a casual way Judge Orlady gave expression to this sentiment:

"There is a man in Philadelphia who has been a revelation on the bench of the lower courts. He has a wonderful legal mind. His opinions are fine. I never think of him but what I unconsciously associate him with a place on the bench of the Supreme Court, for that is where he belongs. His name is von Moschzisker."

In the light of recent events the expressed sentiment of Judge Orlady reads like a prophecy to come true.

Judge Mayer Sulzberger, the strongest of the older members of the Philadelphia bench, was urged to become a candidate to succeed Justice Mitchell. He declined because of his age, but in so doing he said that, in his judgment, the member of the bench best qualified for the high honor was Judge von Moschzisker. This opinion he reiterated on a number of occasions.

Splendid tributes, these, to a young man from men his senior by many years. Judge von Moschzisker's success in life, which he owes to himself, stands as a shining example and an inspiration for all young men. His nomination by the Republican party for Supreme Court Justice is a fine tribute to the young men of Pennsylvania.

JUDGE ROBERT VON MOSCHZISKER,
Nominee of the Republican party for the vacancy on the Supreme Court bench, which will be created by the retirement of Chief Justice Mitchell.

Candidates Are Notified.

(Continued from first page.)

cent work now being done by our United States senators and representatives at Washington in support of that policy of protection in which the people of Pennsylvania believe.

"In addition to legislation enacted by recent Republican legislatures and mentioned approvingly in the platform, I think it not out of place to mention at this time, in connection with what I have just said, the subjects of the improvement of our public highways and the regulation of railroad affairs. Both of these are very important objects and both are yet in the trial stage.

"The Republican party in response to public demand has enacted legislation tending to bring about an improved condition in relation to these very important matters—and without undue haste in seeking the way to the best results obtainable. And so, we go before the people asking the support, not only of those who have uniformly acted with us heretofore, but of all the people of the State, to the end that the blessings resulting from the achievements of the Republican party shall be continued and its efforts rewarded."

The nominee for State Treasurer, J. A. Stober, of Lancaster, was the concluding speaker. At the very outset of the campaign he sounds the keynote of his administration as State Treasurer. Business principles and business principles only, shall prevail, he declares. Plain, substantial and never much at home with frills and hobbies, Mr. Stober is not an eloquent speaker; he may not be able to dazzle audiences with fancy statements as to what should and should not be done with the State Treasury. But with old-fashioned honesty and in characteristic homely manner, he stands up as a man and in so many words says that if elected he will run the office of the State Treasurer on business principles, and that no money will be collected or paid out without authority of law. Accepting the nomination accorded him by the State convention Mr. Stober said:

"The nomination and election to a public office is a public trust which bears with it public responsibilities, and I fully recognize the responsibility when assuring you that I appreciate and accept the nomination of which you now give public notice.

"In a business career of two score years I have discovered that not always those who are the loudest in self-laudations as to their qualifications, ability and honesty are the safest subjects to be trusted. Therefore, if elected to take charge of the finances of this great commonwealth, I can only assure you that the office will be conducted strictly on business principles; collections will be made and vouchers honored only when sanctioned by authority of law duly enacted.

"The Republican party can enter this campaign proud of its record. Under its rule and power Pennsylvania has attained to the envied position of being the only state in the union that levies no state tax on real estate, nor on personal property, except money at interest, and yet has reduced its debt to such a trifling sum that the deposits in the sinking funds are sufficient to cancel all the bonds of the State as they become due and payable—practically a State free of debt.

"The appropriations to the industrial and charitable institutions are most creditable. We hope the day may not be far distant when this great commonwealth will be able to recognize the services of her brave and loyal sons, who served so creditably in the union army when the disruption of that union was threatened, by giving every Pennsylvania survivor a liberal pension; to execute such warrants would be my greatest desire and pleasure.

"With his honor, Judge von Moschzisker, and the Hon. A. E. Sisson as associates on the ticket we can appeal in confidence to the voters of the State for their support."

The speeches of the three candidates afford the voters of Pennsylvania an opportunity to study the make-up of the men who have been nominated on the Republican ticket. We commend all three candidates to the Republicans of Centre County.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers have been recorded in the last week by Recorder William H. Brown.

C. Clay Rogers exec. to Wm. Showers, July 1, 1909, tract of land in Walker twp; consideration $6000.

Frank Weber exec. to Kate Nelson June 13, 1909, tract of land in Philipsburg consideration $1000.

C. A. McLaughlin to Mrs. Bessie S. Smith July 15, 1909, tract of land in Boggs twp. consideration $75.

John L. Holmes et al to David Tressler March 20, 1909, Lot in Furguson twp, consideration $250.

W. E. Hurley Sheriff to C. C. Shuey May 22, 1909, tract of land in Benner twp. consideration $580.

A Walker et ux to Abraham Kessler July 14, 1909, Lot in Millheim Borough consideration $1200.

Classa Kunes et al to William Gummo July 12, 1909, tract of land in Liberty twp. consideration $500.

David Tressler et ux to George H Resides Aug. 14, 1908, Lot in State College consideration $480.

John I Robison et ux to Park R. Homan July 2, 1909, tract of land in State College consideration $500.

J. Lynn Woomer et ux to Harry N. Musser July 12, 1909, tract of land in Ferguson Twp. consideration $3000.

W. F. Bradford et al to Chas, Frazier July 7, 1909, tract of land in Potter twp. consideration $300.

Citizens B & L Association Osceola Mills to S. B. Stine July 9, 1909, tract of land in Rush twp. consideration $1.00

Rosetta Ambrose et al to Sieve Solbol May 24, 1909, tract of land in Rush twp. consideration $650.

Bella J. Hoover to Alfred Walters Apr. 1, 1909, tract of land in Millheim consideration $1050.

Sarah Miller et al to Wm. G. Runkle Aug. 12, 1908, House and Lot in Spring twp. consideration $1200.

Wm. G. Runkle to Fred Herman Aug. 12, 1908, House and Lot in Spring twp. consideration $1200.

C. T. Fryberger et ux to Thos. L Waple March 1, 1899, tract of land in Rush twp. consideration $600.

—'ry Admiral Coffee.

We have everything in the grocery line. Call and see: Sechler & Co. tf.

Get Dewitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve when you ask for it. There are a great many imitations, but there is just one original. This salve is good for anything where a salve is needed to be used, but it is especially good for Piles. Sold by all Druggists.

The Wars of Our Country

XIX.—War of 1812
A Year of Disaster

By Albert Payson Terhune

GEN. HARRISON.

THE war of 1812 was on!

England, as ever, had boundless credit, unlimited wealth to draw upon, all the men, arms and equipment necessary. Thousands of her soldiers and sailors also were hardy veterans of her various recent European wars. America, on the contrary, could muster but a beggarly force on land and sea, was sore pressed for money and still further hampered by internal dissensions.

The British navy consisted of 144,000 men and more than 900 warships. Against so much of this vast armament as might be sent against us the United States could muster only twelve good sized war vessels, with a total of 300 guns, and some gunboats.

Already in 1811 British emissaries had stirred up the Indians along the western frontier against the United States. Tecumseh, the famous Shawnee chief, and his brother, "The Prophet," had taken the warpath in Indiana and Nov. 7, 1811, had been routed at Tippecanoe by General Harrison, governor of Indiana, in a bloody battle.

An elderly and not especially competent Revolutionary veteran, Henry Dearborn, was appointed commander in chief of the United States forces. The subordinate generals chosen to serve under him were also past worthy Revolutionary relics. Dearborn, apparently forgetting that far greater American leaders than he had failed to capture Canada, made that Dominion the object of his first campaign's attack. General Hull, governor of Michigan, had served with credit in the Revolution. He was placed in command of 2,000 men and sent across the Detroit river into Canada, July 12, 1812, to begin the invasion. He entered Canada with the object of storming Fort Malden, eighteen miles beyond. But the expedition was a disastrous fizzle and accomplished nothing, for meantime the British general, Brock, had swept down from Canada with a swarm of regulars and Indians, had crossed the border, attacked and captured Mackinaw (our powerful barrier against invasion from the northwest) on July 17 and then marched to Fort Malden's relief. Hull retreated before him, recrossed the river and sought safety in the fort at Detroit. Brock on Aug. 9 followed and demanded the surrender of Detroit. The garrison was strong and well provisioned; but, to the whole nation's dismay, Hull meekly surrendered on Brock's threat to turn loose his savage allies in massacre upon the women and children of the place. This was the first of many terrible blows to our national pride. Hull was court martialed for cowardice in thus yielding Detroit to the British and condemned to be shot, but in view of his Revolutionary services he was later pardoned.

Dearborn, after Hull's failure, planned to invade Canada at a point near Niagara. But hundreds of soldiers mutinied, declaring the war was merely one of defense, refusing to set foot across the border. For this vile act the mutineers were loudly praised by the peace party. The sons of the men who had died at Bunker Hill and starved at Valley Forge went practically unpunished, and their example was a needless setback to our country's cause. On Oct. 13 a band of Americans crossed from Lewiston to Queenstown, Canada, where a large force of British were massed to check them. With severe loss the Americans captured the battery of Queenstown Heights and held the position against terrible odds. General Brock, fresh from his victory at Detroit, came up with re-enforcements and tried to drive them from the heights, but was driven back and slain. But a fresh force of English now charged the heights, and the little American army could not hold out. Re-enforcements had been sent from Lewiston to their aid, but only 1,000 of these would consent to cross the border. At last Colonel Winfield Scott, who commanded the heights, was forced to retreat. Most of his men were killed or captured.

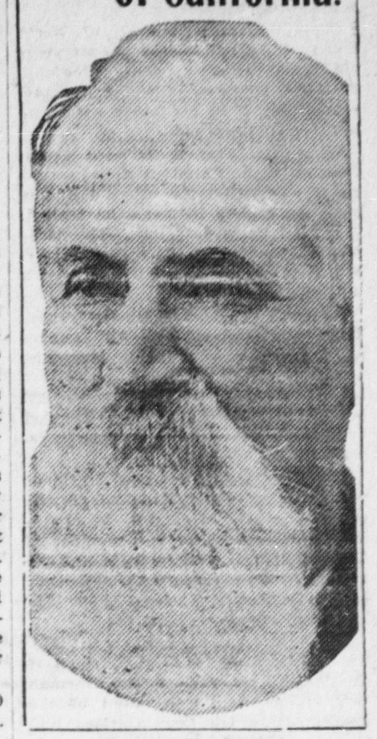
GENERAL BROCK WAS SLAIN.

Below Buffalo another expedition attempted to invade Canada, but succeeded no better than had the two others.

So ended the first campaign of the war of 1812 in a practically unbroken series of disasters to our country.

But while our armies that year had suffered universal defeat, a different and far more glorious drama had been enacted by our gallant little navy.

Dr. J. W. Fuller, of California.



Pe-ru-na the Remedy.

DR. J. W. FULLER, Scientific Optician, 203 North Main St., Los Angeles, Cal., writes:

"I was troubled with catarrh of the head for many years. It affected my sense of smell, hearing and sight.

"I spent lots of money with doctors and the use of local applications to relieve me, but to no purpose until my attention was called to the wonderful effects of Peruna.

"I must say that I met with most surprising and satisfactory results. Peruna took hold of the complaint and drove it entirely out of my system.

"Although well along toward the allotted span of man's life, I am as pleased as a child over the results, and feel like a young man again."

Man-a-lin an Ideal Laxative.

Foiled.

Noiselessly, but with all his might, the burglar tugged at the dressing table drawer. In vain. It refused to open. He tugged again.

"Give it another jerk," said a voice behind him.

The burglar turned.

The owner of the house was sitting up in bed and looking at him with an expression of the deepest interest on his face.

"Jerk it again. There's a lot of valuable property in that drawer, but we haven't been able to open it since the damp weather began. If you can pull it out I'll give you a handsome royalty on everything that's"—

But the burglar had jumped out through the window, taking a part of the sash with him.—Exchange.

Burns Crider has been quite ill for several days but is much better, at present, and is resting easily.

Professional Cards.

Harry E. Fenlon,
FIRE INSURANCE.
Temple Court, Bellefonte, Pa.

A. A. Dale,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
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Penny-A-Word Column.

Have you something you want to sell? Want to buy something? Need a cook or chambermaid? Is there something you have lost or found? Perhaps you have something to exchange for something else and haven't found the right person to complete the deal. Try an advertisement in this column. Penny-a-word, each insertion. No advertisement accepted for less than 25 cents.

FOUND—Black lesther cigar case. Owner may secure same by calling at the Republican office, proving property and paying for this advertisement.
7-15-3t,

WANTED—Young men to learn automobile business by mail and prepare for position as chauffeurs and repair men. We make you expert in ten weeks; assist you to secure position. Pay big; work pleasant; demand for men great; reasonable; write for particulars and sample lesson. Empire Automobile Institute, Rochester, N. Y.

—Try Admiral Coffee.

Send us $1 and we will send you all the news in "The Republican" each week for one year.

Our County at a Glance.

Millheim.

G. W. Rees, of Bellefonte, Deputy Revenue Collector for this district, was in town last week attending to his duties. He was accompanied by his estimable wife.

M. I. Walker and J. I. Herman, of Bellefonte, transacted business here last week.

C. A. Shaffer, of Harrisburg, was in town recently.

B. I. Hackenburg, of Mifflinburg, called on our merchants a few days ago.

Wallace Brothers, of Milesburg, are here laying brick for the new buildings being erected to take the place of those destroyed by fire last January.

Isaac A. Shawver, proprietor of the National Hotel, is off on a trip to different parts of Ohio. He will be gone two or three weeks. The management of the Hotel will be under Thomas Miller.

The Directors of the Farmer's National Bank are negotiating for the furniture and fixtures for the proper equipment of the same.

Dr. G. S. Frank is kept busy visiting his numerous patients.

John H. Hoffman, one of the owners of the knitting works, had business at Bellefonte last week.

Landlord Stover, of the Coburn Hotel, passed through town one day last week with a new automobile, which he purchased at Williamsport. It is of the Buick make.

George Sechrist has had the water of Philips Creek piped into his residence.

In a short time this town will have all concrete sidewalks, which will compare favorably with towns much larger than Millheim.

Hosterman and Stover, the hardware men, have at all times a good supply of buggies and carriages and wagons wire, fencing, cement, piping and hose.

F. P. Musser has been appointed administrator of the estate of the late G. L. Springer. He will have sale on the 29th.

Charles E. Duncan, of Shamokin, was a business visitor here a few days ago.

D. W. Zeigler was cutting wood several days ago. By some means he missed the wood and cut his big toe, giving it a severe gash.

Morris, Ellis, Horace and Joel Claster of Lock Haven, passed through town in an auto. on their way to Bellefonte, one day last week.

Mrs. William Groff, who had been visiting in Lancaster county for a couple of weeks, returned last Sunday. Druggist Groff is very much pleased.

Robert Cole the well known architect of Bellefonte was in town on business last Friday. He came down in his Stanley steamer. He was accompanied by wife and son, Robert, and Alice Dorworth. They had dinner at the National.

Charles I. Shaw, representing the Fourth Street National Bank, of Philadelphia, transacted business here with the Farmers National Bank, of this place, several days ago.

Clark Gramley and some friends, of Rebersburg, passed passed through town in the automobile early on Saturday morning, on their way to Altoona.

John I. Wagner of Baltimore, representing the firm of Himmel & Son!, was here a few days in consultation with the directors of the Farmers National Bank, in reference to refurnishing the building.

Philip Haag, of Bellefonte had business here recently.

Paul Musser, a base ball player, who had been absent for a few months, returned home last week.

The water in Elk Creek is very low on account of the drouth, and now many trout are being caught.

Parties that go to Penn's Creek for eels are very successful. Hundreds are being caught.

We have heard of no snake yarns of any account so far. They may come later in the season. Kill the snakes, boys.

A. A. Frank is off on a business trip to Baltimore and other cities,

Ex Union County treasurer, James K. Reish, of Mifflinburg, was in town last Saturday.

Thomas Hunt, Thomas R. Weber and Oscar Harvey, of State College, were in town on Saturdav and Sunday.

Millheim Base Ball crossed bats with Rebersburg last Saturday; score 9 to 3, in favor of Rebersburg,

Milesburg

Mrs. Ware wife of Thomas D. Ware, of Chicago, is a guest of Miss Jane Potter.

Mrs. H. N. Jones and Miss Margaret Zimmerman attended the funeral of Miss Carrie Snyder at Beech Creek.

Miss Madge Orris and her Sunday school class on Monday, of last week, held their class Basket Picnic in H. J. Kohlbacker's woods.

Oliver Tibbens, of Orviston, was again home with his parents. Ask Zelda the cause of his coming so frequently.

Miss Helen Proudfoot and Gertrude Elbright, of Altoona, are visiting friends in the burg.

A Post Card Shower was given to Miss Nellie Thomas on the twentysixth anniversary of her birthday July 15 She received 95 beautiful cards from her friends.

Clyde Boggs and wife, of Philadelphia, who have been camping at Lake-Mont Park, Altoona, stopped off here to spend the sabbath with his father A. T. Boggs, and family. Miss Carrie Boggs of Altoona and C. L. Boggs, of Pittsburg, also spent Sunday with their father and family, departing on Monday for their respective homes.

Miss. Leora Hershberger, of Port Matilda, was a guest of Z. T. Hershberg r and family for s v ral days.

Mrs James onfer, of Pittsburg, was a gue t of William Kline and family

Rev. Davis, of Williamsport, will preach in the Presbyterian church July 25. All are cordially invited.

John A. Whiteman, of Hicks Run, is at home for a short season.

W. A. Swires, of Brooklyn, N. Y., was summoned home to attend the funeral Saturday of his father.

Joseph Swires one of the oldest citizens of Milesburg who died July 15, was buried on the 17th in the old cemetery. Rev. Eldridge, of the Baptist church officiated He leaves a wife and two sons, W. A. of Brooklyn N. Y. and Curtin, of Milesburg, to mourn his loss. Mr. Swires was almost 81 years old, having been born Dec. 12, 1828.

Howard.

Lulu Stover of Mill Hall, attended the teachers meeting here and visited friends over Sunday.

Paul Wetzel, of Bellefonte, was a recent visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Weber.

Mrs Muffly and daughter Mary, of Des Moines, Iowa, are visiting relatives and friends here.

Miss Pane, of Eaglevile, was the guest of Miss Annie Confer, on Sunday

Mitchell I Gardner and family, of Bellefonte, were Sunda, visitors at the home of his aged father.

Miss Mittie Lucas is spending her vacation with friends at Milton.

Edward Pletcher, of Chicago, is visiting Howard friends.

Miss Ruth Buck, of Sunbury, and rs George Shilling, of Bellefonte, were recent visitors at the home of J. Z Loder and wife.

Mrs Marius Miner and Mrs. Charles Yearick were visitors recently at the Yocum home in Hublersburg. Mrs. Yocum is ill with lockjaw, caused by a scratch on the arm.

Mrs Rev. R S Taylor visited friends in Mill Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Wycliffe Gardner and daughter, and Miss Hartsock, of Pittsburg, are visiting Mr Gardner's sister, Mrs. Fannie Leathers.

Mrs. Mary Spangler and daughter, Alice, of Chicago, have arrived in Howard to spend the summer with Mrs Spangler's mother. Mrs. George Wistar.

Malcolm Wetzler, of Milesburg, is visiting at the home of J. H. Schenck.

The many friends of Mrs. Daniel Schenck, of Hagerstown, Md., were grieved to learn of her death. Mrs. Schenck was a former resident of Howard

Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Harry Williams and son, of Tyrone, returned home after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. William Dixon.

Mrs. John McCrossie, of Ramey, visited relatives here for a week.

Miss Susie Woodle returned home after spending three weeks with relatives in Philipsburg and Clearfield.

Mrs. G. Vaughn and children of, Sandy Ridge, are the guests of her mother, Mrs. Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kelley, of Port Matilda, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Thomas Merryman.

Thomas Merryman and wife entertained the Misses Wolf, from Altoona, recently.

William Vaughn, and daughter Myrtle, of Powleton, spent a day with his brother, at this place.

I. P. Carson, of Clearfield, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. S. S. Newman.

Mrs. Cyrus Tice and children, of Philadelphia, are the guests of her parents, John Shively and wife.

Clayton Baker, wife, and children, Earle and Viola, of Tyrone, were the guests of Elmer Vaughn recently.

David and Raymond Dixon Sundayed with their parents.

Quite a number of our young folks attended the festival at Hannah, Saturday evening. All reported having a nice time.

Freda Kelley returned home after a visit of two weeks with relatives, at Sandy Ridge.

Richard Bros. commenced work on the new barn of Robert Orwick, Tuesday. They are hustlers.

Scotia

Berry picking is all the go.

George Harper of Pine Grove Mills, is home nursing a mashed thumb. He is employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad company in the Pittsburg Transfer station as shipping clerk. With his sister, Mirtle he was visiting friends here Sunday and we were glad to see his smiling face.

Hugo Cass, of this place who has been cutting wood at Toe Hill, met with a very bad accident on Saturday. While falling a tree it lodged against another. He went to cut it when both came down. One of the trees struck him on the shoulder and back, breaking his shoulder blade and several ribs He is getting along nicely. We all hope to see him restored to health soon.

Miss Hettie Confer was on the sick list last week. She is better at this writing.

Mrs. D. Bond Mattern, of Tyrone, spent a few days at D. B. Matern's and with her parents, at Stormstown.

Daniel Daywalt and Hughey Malone left Monday for Sunbury, where they have employment with T. A. Shoemaker.

Edward Sexton spent Sunday with P. E. Hicks and family.

P. E. Hicks made a flying trip to Tyrone Monday evening.

W H Gates has taken the contract o put ing on t e roof of the Primary school building here, and making other repairs

Walter Parsons, and wife left last week for Trafford Pa., where Mr. Parsons has employment with the Westinghouse company.

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PAPER FOR MONEY.

Extreme Care and Secrecy Used in Its Manufacture.

The various great nations devote much study to the improvement of their secret processes of manufacturing paper for money and banknotes, the principal object being, of course, to render counterfeiting more and more difficult.

Our own government guards with extreme care every detail of the manufacture of this paper, laying special importance upon its secret of getting silk thread into the composition of the paper itself.

The efforts of this government, however, are not nearly so painstaking as those put forth in making the flimsy paper used for Bank of England notes, which are probably the finest paper money in the world. These notes are manufactured from fine Irish linen, and the peculiar properties of the Test water (so called from the river of that name) produce paper of a purity and texture unsurpassed. The secret of the security of the Bank of England note against forgery and counterfeiting is said to be entirely in the paper itself and not in the printing.

In addition, the notes show a watermark so cleverly devised that an expert from the mill can tell by a glance at the date of manufacture the very name of the employee who made it. The watermark is produced by a design countersunk in the woven wire bottoms of the trays in which the hot paper pulp is poured and dried. It has never been successfully imitated.

Extraordinary precautions are taken for the security of the mill where these notes are made, as well as of everything in the mill. There is, of course, a staff of police constantly in attendance and a private wire to police headquarters, nine miles away.

The watchmen who patrol the mill corridors every night must pass at each quarter of an hour clocks of wonderfully ingenious construction, the revolving dials of which are pierced with holes, which at the precise moment the watchman is due before them pass over a slot. The watchman pushes through a peg he carries, and the clock ticks on. Should he not present himself at the moment scheduled for him to appear, however, the timepiece immediately sounds an alarm.—New York Tribune.

ARAB SCHOOLS.

Their Peculiar Methods in Teaching and Studying.

"An Arab school," said a traveler, "is one of the most interesting places in Cairo to visit. The children, with the schoolmaster, sit upon the floor or the ground in a semicircle, and each has a tablet of wood which is painted white and upon which the lessons are written. When the latter are learned they are washed out and replaced by other lessons.

"During study hours the Arab schools remind one of the Chinese, for the children all study aloud, and as they chant they rock back and forth like trees in a storm, and this movement is continued for an hour or more at a time. The schoolmaster rocks back and forth also, and altogether the school presents a most novel appearance as well as sound. Worshipers in the mosques always move about while reciting the Koran, as this movement is believed to assist the memory.

"The desks of the Arab schools are old contrivances of palm sticks, upon which is placed the Koran or one of the thirty sections of it. After learning the alphabet the boys take up the study of the Koran, memorizing entire chapters of it until the sacred bdok is entirely familiar.

"A peculiar method is followed in learning the Koran. The study begins with the opening chapter, and from this it skips to the last. The last but one is then learned, then the last but two, and so on in inverted order, ending finally with the second chapter.

"During the student's progress it is customary for the schoolmaster to send on the wooden tablet a lesson painted in black and red and green to the father, who returns it after inspection with a couple of plasters pasted upon it. The salaries of the schoolmasters are very meager indeed."—Washington Herald.

Honest Answer.

The stories told of Snetzler, a famous Swiss organ builder, prove that he was a man of rare and incorruptible honesty. At one time the parish officers of a country church applied to Snetzler to examine their organ and make improvements in it.

"Gentlemen," said Snetzler after a careful examination of the instrument in question, "your organ be wort £100 joost now. Vell, I vill spend you £100 on it, and it shall den be wost £50!"—London Graphic.

England will annex a force of taxicabs to her army. The taxis certainly have made a reputation for charging.

Ladies who quit the operatic stage to wed are careful to select a husband able to supply the high notes.

It is even as glorious not to miss hitting a hippopotamus as it is to land a shot on the side of a barn.

The Land of Puzzledom.

No. 557.—Flower Anagrams.

O, I began. Stucca. Snapsie. Sea store. O, red lane. Ruin game.

No. 558.—Riddle.

Cut off my head and I'm a rolling ball;
Curtail me and, unseen, I'm felt by all;
Once more curtail me and a sense you'll find;
Behead me and its organ comes to mind.
I'm neither man nor beast nor bird nor gnome,
But dwell in many a comfortable home,
And there when fading day turns into night
My whole will brightly shine with ruddy light.

No. 559.—Quotation Puzzle.

The initial letters of the following quotations, when properly placed, spell the name of something we often find in others and sometimes in ourselves:

A lamb appears a lion, and we fear
Each bush we see's a bear.

Unblessed thy hand—if in this low disguise
Wanders perhaps some inmate of the skies.

Fear always springs from ignorance.

Love keeps the cold out better than a cloak.

It serves for food and raiment.

Still in thy right hand carry gentle peace
To silence envious tongues.

The greatest of faults, I should say, is to be conscious of none.

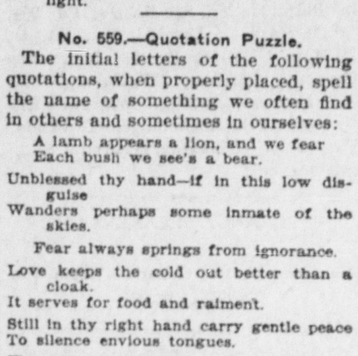
—Youth's Companion.

No. 560.—Concealed Half Square.

In the first sentence is concealed a word of seven letters, in the second a word of six letters, and so on to the last sentence, from which only one letter is to be taken. When these words have been rightly selected place them under one another, the initial letters forming a perpendicular line. The result will be a half square, reading the same across and downward.

1. Hide, base deceiver! 2. You will find the books near Ned Little's house. 3. Rob ran to the store today. 4. Is this pan Nancy's? 5. How early did you rise today? 6. About 9 o'clock; I was too tired to get up sooner. 7. Indeed, that was decidedly late.

No. 561.—A Pictorial Letter.



Here is a letter written in pictures. Try to read it.

No. 562.—Homonym.

'Twas a tender, loving message that he sent her,
Just a breath of lover's passion kind and true,
For he wished when twilight came to meet her,
So he sent to her a loving ****** ****.

Then they met beneath the shadows of the cypress,
Where he told her of his love, as lovers do,
So they whiled away the time till parting came.
Her answer when he begged a kiss was "******, **."

No. 563.—Beheadings.

The whole is separate, to split.

Behead and you have a word meaning "to quit."

Behead again and you have the edge of a roof.

Behead again and transpose, and you have the name of a dear little girl in "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

Key to Puzzledom.

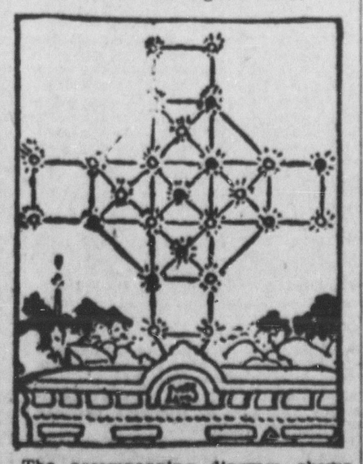
No. 549.—Riddle Story: Pennyroyal.

No. 550.—Words Within Words: 1. B-allot-s. 2. A-die-u. 3. C-lose-t. 4. O-range-s. 5. C-hang-e. 6. C-ant-o. 7. B-Anne-r. 8. L-attic-e.

No. 551.—Charade: Ice-sick-ill, icicle.

No. 552.—A Full Meal: Soup, cheese, steak, hash, bread, tea, squash, crackers, jam, pie, cherries, beet, butter.

No. 553.—Electric Light Puzzle:

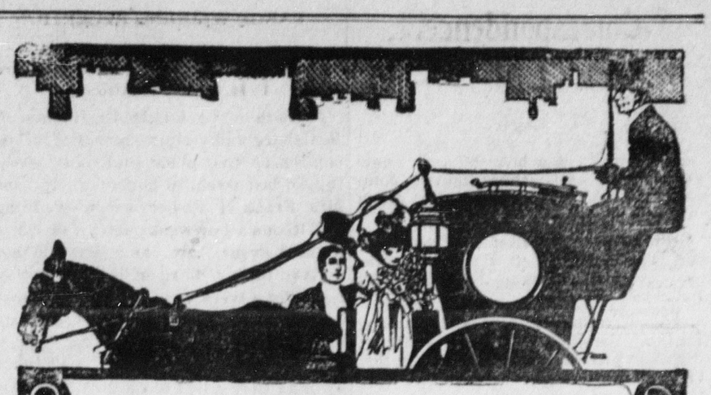


The accompanying diagram shows how the eighteen squares are destroyed by seven lights being extinguished.

No. 554.—Hidden Cities: Bangor, Lowell, Portland, New Haven.

No. 555.—Decapitation: Moore, ore.

No. 556.—Homonym—Steal, steel.



Social Pleasures

theatres, late suppers, dances, etc., often mean nervous headaches the next day.

We sell many good headache cures. It's not hard to find a remedy for a headache, but often the remedy is worse than the malady. Many cures contain dangerous drugs that cause harmful after effects.

We heartily recommend ***Rexall Headache Wafers*** because we know their formula and guarantee them absolutely free from antipyrin, opium, morphine or chloral. They are a simple and positive cure for headaches and neuralgia—quickly kill the pain and soothe the nerves. Perfectly suited to women. Sold with the Rexall guarantee. Two sizes—Four Wafers, 10c.—Twelve Wafers, 25c.

Green's Pharmacy Co.,

The Rexall Store.

BELLEFONTE, PA.

Those Elaborate Defenses.

"Would you shoot a man who assailed your veracity?"

"No," answered the peaceful citizen. "I'd rather take a chance on his personal opinion than to go before a jury with a story that might convince the general public that he was right."—Washington Star.

Pretty Light.

"I'll have to ask you to pay in advance," remarked the hotel keeper.

"Isn't my luggage good enough security?"

"I fear it is a little too emotional."

"Emotional?"

"Yes; easily moved."—London Mail.

Wanton Waste.

The Nurse—You've been badly hurt. The Victim—Whatcha gointer do ter me now? The Nurse—Rub you with alcohol. The Victim—Gee, I wisht I'd been turned inside out!—Cleveland Leader.

Notice to General Contractors.

General Contractors are herewith invited to submit bids for addition and alterations to the CENTRE COUNTY COURT HOUSE, at Bellefonte Pennsylvania. Plans and specifications for the same will be posted in the Commissioners Office on and after Saturday July 3rd from 9 o'clock A. M. to 5 o'clock P. M. In order that any bid shall receive due consideration, it must be delivered to the Commissioners' Clerk on or before Monday July 26th. 1909, at two o'clock P. M.

The Commissioners reserve the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Jacob Woodring,
H. F. Zimmerman, } County Commissioners.
John L. Dunlap,

Attest:
E. J. Williams
Clerk,
Commissioners Office.
Bellefonte, Pa.
June 29, 1909.

Auditor's Notice.

In the matter of the estate of Sarah Sharp, late of Milesburg Boro., dec'd.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Centre Co., to distribute the funds in the hands of the Executor to and among those legally entitled to receive the same, and to pass upon the exceptions filed to the Executor's account, will meet the parties interested for the purpose of his appointment on Wednesday, Aug. 4th, 1909, at 10 o'clock, a. m. at his law offices in Temple Court, Bellefonte Pa., when and where all parties interested are required to make and prove their claims or be debarred from coming in upon said fund.

7-15-3t HARRY KELLER, Auditor.

Auditor's Notice.

Estate of C. Bruce Garman, late of the Boro of Bellefonte, dec'd.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Centre County to pass upon and dispose of the exceptions filed to the first and final account of Chas. R. Kurtz, Executor of the last will and testament of the above named decedent, and to make disposition of the funds in the hands of the Executor to and among those legally entitled to receive the same, will meet the parties interested and attend to the duties of his appointment on Tuesday, Aug. 3rd, 1909 at 10 o'clock a. m, at the offices of Blanchard & Blanchard, Temple Court, Bellefonte, Pa., when and where all persons interested are required to present their claims before the said auditor or be forever debarred from coming in for a share of the said funds.

7-15 3t JOHN BLANCHARD, Auditor.

Famous boneless bacon for sale at Sechlers. Try it. tf

Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a vote of the board of school directors of the School District of the Borough of Bellefonte a special election will be held in said borough on the Tuesday the 17th day of August A. D. 1909, for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors of the said school district to increase the indebtedness of said school district to the amount of thirty-three thousand ($33,000.00) dollars to be used in the erection and construction of a new Public School Building for the use of the public schools of said borough.

The said election will be held at the places and by the officers provided by law for the holding of elections in the aforesaid borough.

Notice is also herebygiven that the amount of the last assessed valuation of taxable property in the said borough of Bellefonte as adjusted for 1909, is $1,653,804.00.

The present indebtedness of the said school district is as follows to wit:—

Old debt, contracted before 1873		$25,000.00
Sinking fund, applicable to same	$3,614.60	
Tax due sinking fund from levies prior to 1909	1,485.40	5,000.00
Net old debt,		$20,000.00
Increase authorized by vote of the board, March 9, 1909,		27,000.00
Total debt,		$52,000.00

The proposed increase of debt is thirty-three thousand ($33,000.00) dollars, and the purpose of such increase is to obtain funds to complete the erection of construction of the new Public School Building now being built for the use of the schools of said borough, to finish the same and grading the lot.

The proposed increase is not quite two percent of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the said borough as adjusted by the last assessment.

Polls open at seven (7) o'clock A. M., and close at seven (7) P. M. By order of the Board.

JAS. K. BARNHART, Secretary. H. C. QUIGLEY, President.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of a writ of Levari Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County, Penn'a, and to me directed there will be exposed to public sale at the Court house in the borough of Bellefonte, Pa., on

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11, 1909

at 1 30 P. M. the following described real estate to wit:

All those two pieces of land in the township of Howard, County of Centre and State of Pennsylvania, being bounded and described as follows to-wit:

No. 1. Bounded on the south by the main stream of the Bald Eagle Creek; on the east by lands of J. L. and C. J. Pletcher, Michael Pletcher and Balser Weber; on the north by lands Elizabeth Leitch, Belle Poorman and Michael Pletcher; and on the west by lot of Emanuel Schenck's heirs, containing 109 acres, be the same more or less. Reserving and excepting lots heretofore sold to Harry Pletcher, J. Linn Pletcher and Mrs. William Pletcher all fronting on the public road, with a sixteen foot alley on the east and a twelve foot alley on the north and west of said lots.

Also reserving a lot at the intersection of the Marsh Creek road and Lock Haven road heretofore sold to D. W. Schenck.

No. 2. Timber land situate on the south side of Bald Eagle Creek, bounded on the north by lands of B. Lauth; on the east by lands of Charles Smith; on the south by lands of B. Lauth; and on the west by lands of Emanuel Pletcher; containing 23 acres, more or less.

Seized taken into execution and to be sold as the property of N. H. Schenck.

TERMS OF SALE—No deed will be acknowledged until purchase money is paid in full

Sheriff's Office, Bellefonte, Pa., July 14, 1909. W. E. HURLEY, Sheriff. 7-15 3t

Hecla Park Dances.

On Friday afternoon and evening of this week the usual Concert and dance will be on at Hecla Park. Trains leave Bellefonte at 2.20 and 6.55 p. m. Fare for the round trip, adults 25 cents, children 15 cents.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

TO

Atlantic City, Cape May

Anglesea, Wildwood, Holly Beach
Ocean City, Sea Isle City, Avalon

NEW JERSEY

Thursdays, July 22, August 5 and 19, 1909

$6.00 Round Trip
Via Delaware River Bridge.

$5.75 Round Trip
Via Market Street Wharf

From BELLEFONTE

TICKETS GOOD RETURNING WITHIN TEN DAYS
STOP-OVER ALLOWED AT PHILADELPHIA

For full information concerning leaving of trains, consult small hand bills, or nearest Ticket Agent.

J. R. WOOD, Passenger Traffic Manager.
GEO. W. BOYD, General Passenger Agent.

Correspondence.

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Mt. Eagle.

It is still dry and hot but the new bathroom a the Leathers home is completed, so they don't care very much these days

Joshua Foltz, of Bellefonte, took dinner one day this week with his daughter, Mrs. William Baney. Joshua looks well.

Mrs. Shaughnesy returned to her home, in Bellefonte, Monday evening, with her baby boy and one daughter. The younger daughter remained with her "Granpa."

George Hiram, who was in the Bellefonte hospital undergoing treatment, is home again and feeling quite well, although still somewhat weak.

Claire Leathers, a son of Baldwin Leathers, of Howard, took supper with friends here one evening this week.

Ward Dauthenbaugh is busy picking cherries these evenings, after his day's work on the railroad is done.

The old saying is: "When the wind blows over the oats, stubbles fall." I see my friend. Mart. Gates, has cut some of his, already.

Frank Confer raised his new barn on the "13th", and everything went off nicely, not a single mishap.

Haupt Leathers, of Tennessee, a Mt. Eagle boy, is paying his mother and sisters a visit.

John Bowers, and a lady friend, of Altoona, are visiting his grandmother, Mrs. J. B. Leathers.

Our enterprising young friend, H. E. Leathers, who runs the handle factory, loaded a car for shipment a day or two ago.

Mrs, Smoyer and son, of Sharon, are paying her father-in-law a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Deitz and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pheasant, of this place, visited over Sunday with David Taney, on Marsh Creek. They had a delightful time.

Our neighbor, Theo. Pletcher, is very ill.

Quite a few of our folks took in the festival at Howard.

Lemont.

Mrs. H. E. Longwell, and daughters, of Philadelphia, are visiting at the home of the former's mother Mrs. Alice Williams.

Rev Snyder and family of Centre Hall, circulated among friends in this vicinity last week.

D. L. Hite, and wife, spent Sunday at Pleasant Gap.

Mrs. R. F. Evey, of Watsontown, and Mrs. John Mokle, of Howard, are guests at the homes of J. B. and L. F. Mayes.

William Sarsons has opened a jewelry store on Mary's St. clock and watch repairing is his specialty.

Prof. Fred Kaufman, of State College, spent Saturday at the home of J. S. Herman.

Mrs. James Schreck spent Thursday at the home of her mother, Mrs. E. H. Marshall, at Hunter's Park.

Quite a few of our people attended the festival at State College on Saturday night.

John Stamn and wife, of Boalsburg, and Joseph Markle and wife of State College, Sundayed at the home of J. E. Linker.

Dr. Harry Long and wife, of Berwick, who have been visiting friends and relatives in this place and vicinity for the last few weeks, returned home on Monday.

Frank Fisher and wife, of Altoona, spent a few days of this week in town.

Gilman's show was in town on Tuesday night and was well attended.

The treasurer of the U. E. Missionary Board gave us a talk on missions in the U. E. church on Saturday night.

W. R. Houser and Oscar Gray, of Bellefonte, were in town Tuesday.

William Brumgardner, of Boalsburg, was in town Tuesday.

Pine Glenn

Arthur Lewis of Jersey Shore, is visiting his parents at this place.

Miss Isabel Smith, of Lock Haven is the guest of Isabel Beates.

William Hoover is visiting at home.

Maude Viehdorfer has returned from a pleasant visit to Bellefonte.

Hugh Miller of Bellefonte is visiting at the home of Martin Viehdorfer.

Mrs. Edward Lewis and danghter, Verna, are visiting friends and relatives in Yarnell.

Miss Maude Watson, a trained nurse, of Middletown, Conn., is visiting at the home of her parent.

M. F. Loy and family moved into their new house, on Thursday. When completed it will be one of the most beautiful homes in the Glenn.

The banquet given by the Epworth League on Tuesday night was well attended, and everybody reported having had a good time.

The following are the out of town visitors that attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Eugene Meeker: Mrs. J. Thomas Brown and son, of Belle Vernon, Pa.; Mrs. Hayes and little daughter, Frances, of Youngstown, Ohio; Mrs. Charles Chambers of Eurkea, Ohio; S. E. Emerick and daughter, Miss Edna, of Clearfield; Winfield Meeker, Woodrich, W. Va., and Mr and Mrs. Mayard Meeker, of Centre Hall.

Martin Meeker of Hayes Run, was here over Sunday.

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LARGE WEDDING RECEPTION

Boalsburg Friends Honor Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Fisher, of Altoona.

More than one hundred residents of Boalsburg and vicinity attended a reception at that place, on Friday evening, of last week, in honor of Mr and Mrs. Frank H Fisher, whose wedding in Altoona a few weeks ago was quite a social event. Mr. and Mrs. Fisher arrived in Boalsburg on last Thursday night for a week's visit at the Fisher home. With so many friends glad to greet them it was quite natural that a reception should be held, so on Friday evening they called to congratulate the newly married couple and wish them all the happiness in the world.

As a prospective bride Miss Elizabeth Stewart, of State College, shared in the honors of the reception. Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. William B. Witherow, of Altoona, the parents of Mrs. Fisher. Mr. Witherow is advertising manager of the "Altoona Tribune." After their visit with Boalsburg friends Mr. and Mrs. Fisher will return to Altoona, where the former is making rapid progress in the flour business.

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Methodist Day Speakers.

The completed program for Methodist Day, July 29th, at Altoona, presents one of the most attractive lines of speakers that the committee has been able to secure for years past. One of the noticeable features in the last year has been the presence of young men of the church who have been brought on for this popular annual gathering. This year two young men are engaged and the third is decidedly "youngerly," sprightly and bouyant to a charming degree.

Dr. Don S. Colt, of Brooklyn, N. Y who has made a name here years ago, sought for for more than six years, comes for the morning.

That irrepressible and vivacious orator, Secretary Robert Forbes, D. D., of Philadelphia, will make the afternoon address.

For the popular evening hour the distinguished and gifted president of the New York preachers' meeting, Dr. Allan MacRossie, has agreed to come.

The musical feature has a departure. Instead of a combined chorus, Hollidaysburg choir will sing at the morning hour; Tyrone afternoon, and Juniata and Simpson, under Professor Williams, at night.

A Tartar Courtship.

Among the Tchulian Tartars a curious mode of "popping the question" exists. The Tchulian bachelor in search of a wife, having filled a brand new pipe with fragrant tobacco, stealthily enters the dwelling of the fair one upon whom he has bestowed his affections, deposits the pipe upon a conspicuous article of furniture and retires on tiptoe to some convenient hiding place in the neighborhood, local etiquette requiring that he should execute this strategic movement apparently undetected by the damsel of his choice or any other member of her family. Presently he returns without further affectation of secrecy and looks into the apartment in a casual sort of way. A single glance at the pipe he left behind him enables him to learn the fate of his proposal. If it has been smoked he goes forth an accepted and exultant bridegroom; if not, the offer of his hand and heart has been so irrevocably rejected as not to be even worth a pipe of tobacco.

Value of Laughter.

"Having vainly tried many and various remedies to restore to health a business man whom I know and who had fallen into a morbid condition owing to years of overwork, a famous Baltimore physician at last persuaded his patient to take a course of funny stories, one at each meal, with an extra two at dinner," said a Baltimore man. "The patient, a solemn and gloomy fellow, at first rebelled, but finally, falling in with the idea, adopted the course recommended and was in the end restored to health, the effect of laughter being entirely to change his mental and bodily condition. Laughter, in fact, is one of the cheapest and most effective of medicines, breaking up stagnation of mind and body and sending a healthy vibration through one's system. There is very little the matter with the man who can enjoy a hearty laugh."—Nashville Tennesseean.

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BUTTER CONTEST AWARDS

O. D. Mott Again Receives High Score at State College.

Twenty-four packages of butter were entered in the buttermaker's contest, for June, at State College. The week was one of the hottest of the entire season, and some of the butter reflected a lack of facilities, both at the farm and the creamery. O. D. Mott, of Edinburg, again captured the high score, 93, even after losing a half point mottles. Russell Lord, of Willett, N. Y., also scored 93.

Following are the scores of 90, or over: Otis Blish, McCall's Ferry, Pa., 90: H. G. Hawthorne, Monroeton, Pa., 92: L. W. Kier. Nichols, N. Y., 91: Russell Lord, Willett. N. Y., 93: Ralph Martin, St. John's, Pa., 90½; W. D. Marshall. Lyndell, Pa., 92: O. D. Mott, Edinburg. Pa., 93: New Era Creamery Company, Wyalusing, Pa., 90½: Theodore Niering. Wapwallopen. Pa., 91½: H. L. Rockefeller, Towanda, Pa., 92. H. W. Saxton, Granville Summit, Pa., 91.

GRANGE SPEAKERS

Prominent Centre Countians Named to Address Picnic.

More grange picnic will be held this year than for many years past. Among the speakers who have been recommended by the Executive Committee of the State Grange to address picnics are a number of well known Centre countians. These include Leonard Rhone, of Centre Hall, Past Master of the State Grange and Prof. Agee, Dr. Thomas F. Hunt and Mrs. Carolyn Dale, of State College. National Master Bachelder will spend two days in Pennsylvania, August 20 and 21.

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Pain in the head—pain anywhere, has its cause. Pain is congestion, pain is blood pressure—nothing else usually. At least, so says Dr. Shoop, and to prove it he has created a little pink tablet. That tablet—called Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablet—coaxes blood pressure away from pain centers. Its effect is charming, pleasingly delightful. Gently though safely, it surely equalizes the blood circulation.

If you have a headache, it's blood pressure.

If it's painful periods with women, same cause.

If you are sleepless, restless, nervous, it's blood congestion—blood pressure. That surely is a certainty, for Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets stop it in 20 minutes, and the tablets simply distribute the unnatural blood pressure.

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Delicate, nervous, weak women, who suffer from frequent headaches, backache, dragging-down distress low down in the abdomen, or from painful or irregular monthly periods, gnawing or distressed sensation in stomach, dizzy or faint spells, see imaginary specks or spots floating before eyes, have disagreeable, pelvic catarrhal drain, prolapsus, anteversion or retro-version or other displacements of womanly organs from weakness of parts will, whether they experience many or only a few of the above symptoms, find relief and a permanent cure by using faithfully and fairly persistently Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

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Queer People Of Lapland.

Look on the map first and find out just where Lapland is. It is the land of the Lapps. They are odd, small people, the shortest in Europe. When full grown they are only four to five feet high. Maybe the terrible cold of their country stunts their growth. They are a hardy race, though, and

A REINDEER SLEIGH.

often live to a very great age, sometimes a whole century. They have large mouths and small, piercing eyes.

About one-third of the Lapps are nomads. The rest have settled down to civilized life and subsist by fishing and hunting. The Lapps have herds of reindeer. Their country is so cold no horses and cattle can live there. Not even a goat can endure their climate.

If a Lapp family own 300 reindeer it is considered they have a comfortable living. If they have 500 then they are well off. All the wealth the nomadic Lapps have is in their reindeer herds. They use every bit of the animal. It gives them meat and milk. From its skin they make their clothing, ornaments are formed from its horns, glue is made from its hoofs, while the waste meat from its dead body is boiled into soup for the dogs that tend the reindeer herds.

The nomad Lapps in winter have merry times sleighing. Many of them

SKEEING WITH A REINDEER.

also know how to skee as well as a Norwegian. In one of the pictures you see how a Lapp woman has devised a plan to make a reindeer draw her along upon skees. Hundreds of Lapps in winter gather their families and travel by reindeer sleighs to St. Petersburg, Russia. They pitch their tents along the banks of the Neva, which is then frozen solid.

A New Bean Bag Game.

There are several ways of playing the game of bean bag, but perhaps the newest is this: Of course it requires a little preparation, but what of that when you have so much time? Make twelve red and twelve blue bean bags of some strong material and fill them half full of beans. Now, if your company is large, choose two leaders and one umpire. The leaders should choose sides, and the ones chosen must take their places behind the leaders, all facing the same direction, so as to make two rows of players. Now place the blue bags on a chair in front of the "blue" leader and the red bags in front of the "red" leader. Then each leader lifts in his right hand one of his bags and passes it back into the right hand of the first player. He in turn passes it on, each player using only his right hand. When the twelve bags have gone the length of the columns and back through the left hands to the leader, the side bringing home all the bags first wins the game. To vary the game the bags can be passed with both hands or they can be passed over the heads.

Catch the Salmon.

To play this game you will want a rope, and, if played by three only, two take hold of the two ends of the rope and give chase to a third till they contrive to get the rope round him or her. They then pull him in all directions.

If the game is played by a number it is different. Two sides are formed. A line is drawn across the middle of the playing place, and each side must keep to their own side of the ground.

One side are the fishermen and the other salmon. Here again two players hold the rope and advance close to the line and throw the rope round any player who approaches the line on the other side. The salmon must keep their arms close to their sides and may not use them to free themselves from the rope. When fairly over the line they are "caught" and must stand on one side.

To Overcome a Dislike.

A sure means of overcoming a dislike which we entertain for any one is to do him a little kindness every day, and the way to overcome a dislike which another may feel toward us is to say some little kind word of him every day.

The Age of Trees.

The pine reaches a maximum age of 700 years; the silver fir, 425; the larch, 275; the red beech, 245; the aspen, 210; the birch, 200; the ash, 170; the elder, 145, and the elm, 130.

Good Things to Remember.

He who shuns burdens because of their weight can never lift.

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Leave,
Mill Hall for Bellefonte, 8:33 A. M., 3:56 and 8:35 P M.

BELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD—On and after Monday, Jan 25th, 1909 trains will run as follows from P. R. R. station

TRAINS TO STATE COLLEGE.

WESTWARD.	1 A M	3 A M	5 P M
Lv. Bellefonte	‡ 6.30	† 10.15	‡ 2.00
Coleville	6.35	10.20	2.07
Morris	f 6.38	.....	f 2.12
Stevens	f 6.43	.....	f 2.17
Hunters Park	f 6.46	.....	f 2.21
Fillmore	f 6.50	0.34	f 2.26
Briarly	f 6.55	.....	f 2.32
Waddles	7.00	10.4	2.35
Krumrine	f 7.12	.....	f 2.50
State College	7.25	11.10	3.20
Strubles	f 7.47	.....	.....
Bloomsdorf	f 7.51	.....	.....
Pine Grove Mills	7.55	.....	3.40

* Daily, † Daily except Sunday. ' f" Stop flag.

TRAINS FROM STATE COLLEGE.

EASTWARD.	2 A M	4 A M	6 P M
Lv Pine Grove Mills	7.5	.....	3.30
Bloomsdorf	f7.40	.....	.....
Strubles	f 7 45	.....	f2.50
State College	8.00	1.50	5.00
Krumrine	f 8.07	.....	f 5.07
Waddle	8.20	12.10	f 5.25
Briarly	f 8 24	.....	f 5.30
Fillmore	f 8.28	12.18	f 5.35
Hunters Park	f 8.31	.....	f 5.40
Stevens	f 8.35	.....	f 5.43
Morris	f 8.37	.....	f 5.47
Coleville	8.40	1.30	5.00
Ar Bellefonte	8.50	12.50	6.00

Morning trains from Montandon, Lewisburg Williamsport, Lock Haven and Tyrone connect with train No. 3 and 5 for State College. Afternoon trains from Montandon, Lewisburg, Williamsport, Lock Haven and Tyrone connect with train No 5 for State College. Trains from State College connect with Penna. R. R. trains at Bellefonte to points east and west.

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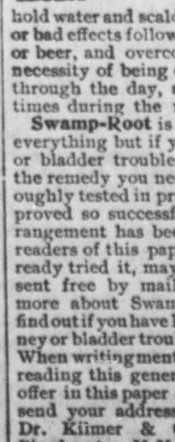

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The Wars of Our Country

XX.—War of 1812
First Sea Fights

By Albert Payson Terhune

WHILE England was winning victory after victory against our armies in 1812 our little navy was making for itself an immortal record. Out of six sea fights in the summer and fall of that year we won five decisive victories. The first of these was scored by the United States frigate Constitution, which had already seen hot service in the Barbary war. She was commanded by Captain Hull, nephew of the General Hull who so weakly surrendered Detroit.

The Constitution was cruising off the gulf of St. Lawrence Aug. 12 when she fell in with the British frigate Guerriere, a vessel of high fame as a successful fighter and commanded by Captain Dacres. The Guerriere opened fire on the American ship, and a running fight began. The Guerriere blazed away steadily for about an hour without inflicting any especial damage. The Constitution, on the other hand, fired only an occasional shot. At last the American ship maneuvered into a position where her bow covered the Guerriere's quarter. Then the Constitution's forward guns opened on the Britisher and almost at once followed with a succession of broadsides, fired so quickly and accurately as literally to batter the enemy to pieces. The Guerriere's masts were shot away and her hull punctured like a sieve.

Dacres fought gallantly, nailing his flag to the stump of his mizzenmast. But when his ship was reduced to a battered, useless hulk he was forced to surrender. The Guerriere was so badly damaged she was no use as a prize, so Hull burned and sank her.

On Oct. 18 the American sloop of war Wasp fought and captured the Frolic, a British brig. But on the same day the Wasp was taken by the seventy-four gun British ship Poictiers. Just one week afterward, off the Canary islands, Captain Decatur with the frigate United States overhauled and captured the powerful British frigate Macedonian.

The final navy victory of the year was scored by the Constitution on Dec. 29. Captain Bainbridge was then in charge of the gallant old ship. She ran across the British man-o'-war Java off the Brazil coast and after a three hour fight hammered the Britisher to pieces. The Java, like the Guerriere, was too badly damaged to be of use as a prize and was burned.

From the scanty amount of damage the enemy's shots were able to inflict on the American frigate's stanch surface the Constitution received the nickname "Old Ironsides." After her period of glorious activity was past and more modern craft had taken her place it was proposed to break up and sell the splendid vessel. But Oliver Wendell Holmes by a stirringly patriotic poem awoke public sentiment to the sacrilege of the plan, and the hero ship was for the time saved.

Brave and successful as was the tiny navy of the United States in the first year of the war, the chief damage done to England was by our privateers. These were warships fitted up by private enterprise and commissioned by the government to prey on the enemy's possessions. As soon as war was declared many such ships began to scour the seas. In that year alone they captured fifty British men-o'-war, 250 merchant vessels, incalculable sums of money and other valuables and over 3,000 prisoners.

THE JAVA WAS BURNED.

Great Britain had hitherto been considered unconquerable at sea. Being an island kingdom, she relied on her navy as chief protection from foreign foes. Yet representatives of this mighty navy were being shattered, sunk and captured by a mere handful of Yankee warships. British pride received a staggering blow, and American seamen avenged with interest the wrongs of their brethren who had been forced to serve like slaves on English ships.

In the fall of 1812 Madison was reelected president. This was a check to the cowardly peace party and left the administration free to push the war with greater vigor. In spite of these aids the year 1813 opened darkly for the American cause. On shore British arms were triumphant. On sea the English, furious at their setbacks, prepared to blockade every American port and by sheer force of numbers to crush their stubborn opponents.

A Strange Bird Of Southern Seas

Sometimes it seems as if nature tired a little of serious work and wanted to amuse herself. Then she forms odd beasts, birds or fish. It must have been in one of her humorous moods that Mother Nature created the penguin, that strange fishlike bird of the southern hemisphere. It is never found in the northern and is most around the southern point of South America. On the consts of Patagonia are great flocks of penguins. Where not a blade of grass is found these birds can live, because they subsist on a fish diet entirely and mind the cold no more than a polar bear does.

These birds have the odd habit of standing erect, like a man. The largest varieties of the tribe are the king penguin and emperor penguin. When standing up straight they are nearly three and one-half feet high. They have dark backs, while the front of their bodies is shining white, with

OLD AND YOUNG KING PENGUINS.

sometimes a little yellow mixed in. They have very flat, three toed feet built for swimming. At the back of the foot is a very small fourth toe that looks as if it started to grow, but never did.

The penguin has flippers that resemble wings, but are really no wings at all, and the bird cannot fly. These flippers are used as paddles to help the penguin along fast in the water. On land they are used like the fore feet of an animal—to walk on. When the penguin desires to move over the ground it dumps down upon all fours and crawls along.

Really it is hard to say whether the penguin's front flippers are wings, arms or uns. They have no feathers, but are furnished with a scalelike covering. In swimming these flippers move with tremendous rapidity, shoving the penguin through the water so fast one cannot tell whether it is a bird or fish. It is a warm blooded creature, however, and has to breathe air like any other bird. It is a wonderful diver and dips down many feet into the sea for its food.

A Celebrity Game.

Cut out from magazines the pictures of noted people and then cut off their heads. That sounds rather savage, but as you are to supply them with new heads it isn't as unkind as it seems. Cut the figures out in outlines and paste them on uniform pieces of cardboard and then take all the heads and paste them on to other bodies. Sometimes the effect is startling, and the strange thing is that it is extremely hard to recognize a head when it ha somebody else's body. To play the game number each piece of cardboard and write down on a paper who the person is to whom the head belongs. Of course the players must not see this paper, but must be given the pieces of cardboard to look over. After they have guessed as many as they can and written down the names on papers read them the correct list. Of course the winner is the one who made the best guesses.

Why Clocks Have Four I's.

Why are four I's used in the place of the usual IV to show the number of four on the face of old clocks? The four I's are used because of the obstinacy of Charles V. of France. When Henry Vick carried to the king the first accurate clock the king said to him that IV was wrong and should be changed to IIII.

Vick said, "You are wrong, your majesty."

Whereat the king thundered out: "I am never wrong! Take it away and correct the mistake!" From that time to this day the four I's have stood as the mark of the fourth hour.

Melting Lead In Tissue Paper.

Take a buckshot, wrap it tightly in one thickness of tissue paper and, holding the ends of the paper in the fingers of each hand, place the part that holds the shot over the flame of a match just far enough away from the flame not to burn the paper. In a few seconds unfold the paper and you will find that the shot has melted without even scorching the paper.

A Likeness.

Some kinds of flowers are wild and free
And grow where'er they please—
Across the meadow, down the hill
Or underneath the trees—
But other kinds are caught, poor things,
As any garden shows,
And made to stand in narrow beds
Or straight and stupid rows.
And so the little children
When the morning brightest shines
Seem caught and planted down at school
In firm and even lines.
—Youth's Companion.

The Land of Puzzledom.

No. 564.—Hidden Necessities In a Hospital.

As the storm reached its height the surge on the beach sounded like thunder.

Paul intends making a tour of the world.

Though he was deaf and dumb and aged, yet he was beloved.

The soldier said, "I will sleep on my cot tonight."

No. 565.—Charades.

I.

As you gayly dance you will my first
And think my second of plagues the worst.
Yet for my whole my second will do
The very same thing that was done by you.

II.

So fair a head my whole has crowned
(Oft in the masters' works 'tis found).
You'd scarce expect it could be made
From a crowd of which you'd be afraid
Joined to an article of dress.
My whole I'm sure you'll quickly guess.
—Youth's Companion.

No. 566.—Progressive Enigma.

The whole word is composed of eight letters and is the name of a famous man whose birthday occurs in August.

7 8 is a preposition; 6 7 8 is a period of time; 1 2 3 is a doze; 3 4 is a river of Italy; 3 4 5 6 is a measure; 4 5 6 is the Christian name of a great violinist; 5 6 7 is a constellation; 5 6 7 8 is a city in Spain.

No. 567.—Double Acrostic.

My primals spell the Christian name and my finals the surname of a famous author.

Crosswords (of equal length): 1. A nick. 2. A place of public contest. 3. To toss. 4. An organ. 5. The Mohammedan name for the supreme being. 6. A black man. 7. To bury. 8. A mascaline name. 9. A ridge or shelf.—St. Nicholas.

No. 568.—Floral Puzzles.

My first is a fop—a dude.
My second is a wild beast.
The whole is a spring flower.

My first is made from milk.
My second is used at the tea table.
The whole is a spring flower.

My first is used to fry oysters in.
My second is what we use our eyes for.
The whole is a spring flower.

My first is a number.
My second is a part of the face.
The whole is a spring flower.

My first is a spice.
My second is a consonant.
The whole is a spring flower.

No. 569.—Crisscross Puzzle.

Place a word at the intersection of the two sentences which will make them both read correctly.—Washington Star.

No. 570.—A Riddle.

With a body I have no head
And, though I dye, am never dead.
I oft have a nap, yet never sleep.
I'm kept in folds, but I am not sheep.
Bolted in yards I'm often shown.
Neither fruit nor grain, I'm often sewn.
Not a top, though spun; not a hoop, though rolled;
Not dismayed, though undone; not fooled when sold.
I may shrink from washing and yet be clean,
And when I am pressed, best fit to be seen.

No. 571.—Anagrams—Girls' Names.

Mary seems to "get ruder" every day, and her sister ..... is very annoying. It was "a rash" thing to invite ....., but she owned land that should be converted into "real coin," so ..... thought it best.

No. 572.—Beheaded Rhyme.

My head is sometimes called a top.
The bee from me gets many a drop.
I have a brother who's pale but sweet.
To find us children call it a treat.
Beheaded none so happy under the sun.
Again beheaded and all is done.

No. 573.—Poultry Puzzle.

If a chicken weighs three-quarters of its own weight and three-quarters of a pound, how much does it weigh?

Easy Riddle.

Why is a nail stuck fast in the wall like an old man? Because it's in firm (infirm).

Key to Puzzledom.

No. 557.—Flower Anagrams: Begonia, cactus, pansies, tea roses, oleander, geranium.

No. 558—Riddle: Hearth. Heart, hear, ear.

No. 559.—Quotation Puzzle: Faults.

No. 560.—Concealed Half Squire.

D E B A S E D
E A R N E D
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No. 561.—A Pictorial Letter: Dear Ted—I shall be glad to come to see you tomorrow. Your friend.

No. 562.—Homonym: Billet-doux, Billy, do.

No. 563.—Beheadings: Cleave, leave, eave, Eva.

One of Shaw's Criticisms.

"Before fame came to him," said a playwright, "that great rival of mine, George Bernard Shaw, wrote theatrical criticisms for the London Saturday Review. Now, those were criticisms indeed. Nobody could praise a good play so beautifully as this critic. Nobody could roast a bad play so tellingly. Listen. Here is a sample."

And the playwright read:

"I am in a somewhat foolish position concerning a play at the Opera Comique, whither I was bidden this day week. For some reason I was not supplied with a program, so that I never learned the name of the play. At the end of the second act the play had advanced about as far as an ordinary dramatist would have brought it five minutes after the first rising of the curtain, or, say, as far as Ibsen would have brought it ten years before that event. Taking advantage of the second interval to stroll out into the Strand for a little exercise, I unfortunately forgot all about my business and actually reached home before it occurred to me that I had not seen the end of the play. Under these circumstances it would ill become me to dogmatize on the merits of the work or its performance. I can only offer the management my apologies."

What the Jury Found.

Some years ago the body of a well dressed man was found in a field on the outskirts of an English town. There were no marks of violence, and it was doubtful whether death had occurred from natural causes or if the individual had committed suicide. In due course the body was identified, and a gentleman who had been acquainted with the deceased was called upon to give evidence at the inquest. Among other things, he stated that he had always considered him to be a man of marked idiosyncrasies, and his brain was continually excited by his irresistible fondness for chimeras of various kinds. The jury was evidently satisfied with his statement and immediately brought in a verdict that "death was caused by idiosyncrasies forming on the brain in consequence of excessive indulgence in chimeras," adding a rider that "it should be a warning to people to refrain from that and other intoxicating beverages."

Amos' Anodyne.

"We always wondered a little how Amos Dore and his wife got along—really," Aunt Em Macomber said frankly. "Some in the neighborhood said they'd never overheard a single loud or cross word on either side, but Lije Daniels always stuck to it that Amos was as miserable at home as a man could be.

"He never spoke right out till Amos died and Mis' Dore went back up country to her folks. Then he let out."

"What?" queried Aunt Em's visitor.

"Well, Amos worked logging alongside of Lije every winter, and summers they hayed together most always, and it seems," said Aunt Em impressively, "that Amos complained of his shoes hurting him about all the time. Finally Lije asked why he wore tight shoes.

"'Why don't you get a pair big enough?' says Lije one day.

"'Well, I'll tell you,' Amos says. 'When I wear tight shoes I forget all my other troubles.'"—Youth's Companion.

No Picnic.

A Junction City man told of a remark made by a woman at whose home a number of people took supper one night during a political campaign in Sumner county. This particular woman, though young in years, was the mother of seven children. Naturally the children were reasonably close to one size. When the "campaigners" went into the woman's house one of them noticed the bunch of children and said to the woman in a friendly way, "These all yours, or is this a picnic?" "They are all mine," she replied wearily, "and it's no picnic."—Kansas City Journal.

Tipped.

"Doesn't this boat tip a great deal?" asked a timid young woman of the steward.

"The vessel, ma'am," said the steward, "is trying to set a good example to the passengers."

An Attraction.

Mrs. Gillet—So there is a tablet in your transept to her memory. Did she do anything to bring people into the church? Mrs. Perry—Well, she wore a new hat every Sunday for three years.

Opposites.

Upgardson—Isn't a lawsuit over a patent right about the dullest thing you ever saw?

Atom—Not always. I attended a trial of that kind once that was too funny for anything. A tall lawyer named Short was reading a 6,000 word document he called a brief.—Chicago Tribune.

Spelling.

On a member of parliament being accused of bad spelling Disraeli humorously defended him by declaring that "a man must be an idiot who could not spell a word more ways than one."

An Indignant Beggar.

Flashing a roll of bills in the face of a haughty individual who had refused to give him alms and who had added further insults to this injury by heaping ridicule upon him, a very typical beggar at Coyoacan pulled off a stunt that brought down jeers upon the uncharitable young man. This beggar would have passed muster anywhere for one of the finished type and could safely have walked unarmed at midnight through a wilderness infested with thieves without his poverty once being questioned. There was not a whole thread in the warp and woof of his shirt that extended from seam to seam, and only an expert sartorial artist could have detected which openings were those originally made in the garment for putting it on and off. Just what portion of those rags was solid and strong enough to retain the roll of bills is a marvelous enigma.—Mexican Herald.

A Test of Friendship.

Just before Artemus Ward's death Robertson poured out some medicine and offered it to the sick man, who said, "My dear Tom, I won't take any more of that horrible stuff."

Robertson urged him to swallow the mixture, saying: "Do, now—there's a dear fellow—for my sake. You know I would do anything for you."

"Would you?" said Ward feebly, grasping his friend's hand for the last time.

"I would indeed," said Robertson.

"Then you take it."

Ward passed away a few hours afterward.—"Recollections of the Bancrofts."

A Great Career Ahead.

"Are you the professor?"

"Yes, sir. What can I do for you?"

"I have a daughter and I'd like to know what it will cost me to have her taught to sing. I think she will become a great operatic star if her voice is properly trained."

"Does she seem to have extraordinary gifts as a vocalist?"

"Well, no; we haven't noticed that her vocal gifts are out of the ordinary, but nobody seems to be able to manage her."—Chicago Record-Herald.

The Bishop's Visit.

Bishop (who has "looked in" at rural Sunday school)—Now, children, can any of you tell what is meant by the visitation of the bishop? Little Girl (after a long pause)—Please, sir, an affliction sent from heaven.—London Telegraph.

The Great Change.

"Tommy," said the teacher of the juvenile class, "when water becomes ice, what is the great change that takes place?"

"The change in price," replied Tommy.—Exchange.

Why the Whistle Howled.

Passenger (on branch line)—Say, why does the engine always set up such a piteous howl at this particular spot? Guard—Ah! It was here the engineer first met his wife.—Kansas City Journal.

The Finale.

"It seems to me," said the Indian chief as he watched the white man encroachments, "that all my property very soon will be a mental reservation."—Judge.

Many a girl thinks she has broken her heart when she has only sprained her imagination.—Life.

Among all other vices there is none I hate more than cruelty, the extremest of all vices.—Montaigne.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

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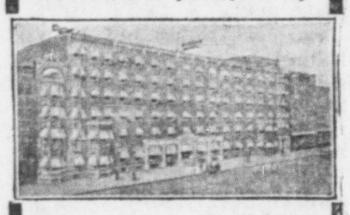

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Here and There.

Miss Jennie Harper is visiting friends at Glenburn.

Miss Louise Garman is home from Philadelphia.

George Mitchell, of Lemont, was in town on Saturday.

Miss Ollie Robb, of East High Street, is spending her vacation in Williamsport.

The Krumrine children, Charles and Annabelle, left last Friday for Williamsport.

James B. Cook spent Sunday at the home of his parents, on West Linn Street.

Miss Sebring, of Williamsport, is the guest of Sallie Fitzgerald, on Spring Street.

Fred Kurtz, editor of the Lewisburg "Journal," spend a few hours in town this week.

Frank Lukenbach and wife, of Tyrone, greeted old friends in Bellefonte over Sunday.

Miss Franciscus, of Tyrone, is the guest of Helen Ceader and also Mrs. Hugh N. Crider.

Mrs. D. H. Hastings left last week for Bedford, Pa., where she will spend a few weeks with friends.

Members or the United Evangelical Church held their annual picnic, at Hecla Park, on Saturday.

Edward Harper, who is doing lots of business at his store, at Curtin, was home for a day last week.

Mrs. Robert Cole and Miss Alice K. Dorworth made a trip to Millheim, on Friday, in the Cole automobile.

B. Cameron Keefer, of Williamsport, spent a few days last week in Bellefonte, renewing acquaintances and doing society.

Mrs. Louis Friedman and infant daughter, of New York City, are spending the hot months in Bellefonte with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Holz.

Dorsey Hunter, the energetic proprietor of the Index, has imported from Yokohoma two cases of Japanese toys. They are a marvel of Oriental imagination.

Cyrus Hunter, of Stormstown, was in town on Monday greeting his many friends. One thing about Cyrus is that no matter where he goes he is among friends.

Rev. John B. Paulsgrove, financial secretary of the American University, at Washington, D. C., preached in the Methodist Church, on Sunday morning, and in the Presbyterian Church, in the evening.

Al Baum took seventeen head of horses this year to the annual encampment of the N. G. P. at Somerset, Pa. Al's reputation for taking good horses is state-wide and he usually gets this annual contract.

"Phil" Foster, one of State College's hustling business men, was in town for a few hours on Saturday, last. His hair has a few more streaks of gray than a few years ago, perhaps, but the "Phil." Foster smile is just the same.

If you are interested in a good school, it will pay you to write to the Lock Haven Normal School for a copy of its handsome new catalog. In equipment and faculty and in its social enviroment, it is an ideal school. The fall term begins September 6th.

George Bush has entered a newsdealer's contest, whereby the dealer who shall increase the amount of his sales of Hampton's magazine the most in the next six months, shall receive an automobile. Of course George wants all his friends to give the auto a push.

Mrs. Joseph Metz, and son, Horace, of Trenton, Ky., arrived in Bellefonte on Monday morning, for an extended visit with her father, A. Baum. On the same day, Nathan Reisman, of Princeton, Ind., who had been visiting the Baums for several weeks, departed for home. While here he was entertained at the "Willows."

Ross A. Hickok, of Harrisburg, joined his wife and children, who are summering at the Hasting's home, last Friday. Mr. Hickok drove up from Harrisburg in his E. M. F. 30. This little automobile is one of the newest on the market, and since it is here, it has proved a great stimulus to the curiosity of those who are always looking for the very latest in the auto line.

Sarah McGinley, daughter of Linn McGinley, of this place, was admitted to the Bellefonte hospital on Saturday, suffering with appendicitis. An operation was performed and resulted in a success in every way. Among the new arrivals at the Bellefonte hospital this week were Mrs. Sarah Shillings, of Bellefonte and Miss Wilma Burd, of Milesburg. The lalter was in a most precarious condition for several days, but is now much improved.

Irvin Taylor the three-year-old son of Curtin Taylor, who resides in one of the Haupt houses, on Thomas street, fell and painfully injured himself while coming down the steep cement steps in the rear yard of his home, last Saturday evening. The child had been playing in the yard and while coming down the steps he became dizzy and fell. When he was picked up his face and shoulders were badly cut up and bruised, but he is now getting along very nicely.

Mrs. William Lyon departed Tuesday for Asbury Park.

Wednesday was the day of the United Brethen picnic.

James Lose, of Altoona, was an over-Sunday visitor in Bellefonte.

Mrs. Harry U. Reamer left Tuesday for a short visit to Williamsport.

Mrs. J. Y. Dale is visitiug in Philipsburg, at the home of Mrs. Mary Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Cheney K. Hicklen went to Atlantic City today for a ten day's trip.

Blanche Underwood departed Tuesday for an extended vacation, in Woodbury, N. J.

Jane Hafer departed Tuesday for a visit with her sister, in New Haven, Conn.

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Mrs. John Hinman Gibson entertained on Tuesday afternoon, at the Cook home, on West Linn street.

Mrs. Harry Heffner, of York, and Mrs. Schulty, of Tyrone are visiting at the home of Edward Woods,

Harry E. Tate, of Clearfield, is spending the summer, in Bellefonte with his grandmother, Mrs. Benjamin Tate.

Mrs. H. S. Cooper and daughter Emily, of Galveston, Texas, are visiting at the Benner home, on High street.

Mrs Duke Copeland and Mrs. Charles Custer, both of Philipsburg, are spending a few days with Mrs. W. E. Hurley.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Morris arrived in Bellefonte, Tuesday. They will take possession of their new home in a few days.

William Cunningham, and wife returned last week to Beaver Falls, after a delightful little visit with Bellefonte friends.

Mrs. Patsey Stewart, of West Linn Street, went up to Port Matilda, on Friday of last week, to visit with Mrs. J A. Thompson.

Walter S. Meserve departed for his home in Batavia, N. Y., last Tuesday, after a pleasant visit with his brother, C. N. Meserve.

Mrs. Charles Larimer and little daughter went to Indiana on Friday of last week for a visit with Mrs. L's sister, Mrs. McGuinness.

The Misses Ruth and Louise Seymour arrived in Bellefonte Tuesday. They will spend the summer with their aunt, Mrs. James Noonan.

Miss Elizabeth Gephart entertained at bridge, on Friday of last week, in honor of Miss Boyd, of Danville, who returned to her home on Monday.

Blanche and Jean Fitzgerald returned Tuesday last to their home, in Germantown, Pa., after a pleasant visit with their aunt, Mrs. Alice Parker.

Mrs. E. H. Murphy, and son Mahlon, of Philadelphia, retururned home Tuesday, after a month's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ralph L. Mallory.

Mrs. Jennie Meyers and three-year-old son, Frederick, returned to their home in Germantown, Pa., on Tuesday, after an extended vacation with her mother, Mrs. Alice Showers.

Lawyer Harry Keller departed early today for Ocean City, N. J., where he will enjoy a brief outing with Mrs. Keller, and the four children, who have been at the shore for the last week.

Franklin T. Cole, head professor of mathematics, at the Bellefonte Academy, spent several days in town last week transacting business. Mr. Cole and family are summering at State College.

After an absence of two weeks, Will G. Laye, of Lock Haven, is again here and singing at the Scenic. His pleasing voice is appreciated everywhere. While home he gave a sacred concert in one of the Lock Haven churches.

Lew Wallrce, the brick contractor, left Saturday evening for a brief vacation in Atlantic City. Lew says he dont believe there is much in these new fangled bathing suits, but we predict that he will change his mind after meeting some of the mermaids.

The Lock Haven State Normal School completed the most prosperous year in its history. The graduating class numbered one hundred and it was a fine body of young people. It is gratifying to note that all who desire to teach have schools. This Normal School is one of the best in the State. Write for a catalog.

We congratulate W. R. Brachbill, the furniture man, on his progressiveness. Last week he tore out the two small show windows in his store, and built the front of his store up to the street level. Billy also changed the entrance. Instead of having two windows, with an entrance in the middle, he built one mammoth window with the entrance on the side. This window, by the way, is one of the prettiest in town.

This week the Mason's Camp is occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jenkins and son Raymond, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lukenbach. They will entertain a number of Tyrone and Bellefonte friends. Camp Curtin, which is situated next to the Mason's Camp, is this week occupied by Mr. and Mrs. John M. Bullock. They will also entertain a number of friends, the out-of-town guests being, Mr. and Mrs. Frank K. Lukenbach and family, and Mrs. Owens, of Tyrone, Mrs. Bullock's sister, and Mr. Frank Van Leer, of Philadelphia.

J. C. Meyer left Tuesday for Philadelphia.

A. A. Stevens, of Tyrone, spent a few days last week in Bellefonte.

Albert Morrison, spent a short vacation last week with relatives in Tyrone.

W. A. Thomas and wife of Tyrone, were over Sunday visitors in Bellefonte.

Mrs. William Rankin, and daughter, Elsie, departed last week for Atlantic City.

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The Central Railroad of Pennsylvania are erecting a new trestle at R. B. Taylor's crossing.

Mr. and rs. George C. Glenn were blessed, last Friday, with a baby girl. congratulations.

Charles K. Rath, of Syracuse, N. Y., is an over-Sunday guest at the Crider home, on Linn Street.

Robert H. Sommerville, of Winburne, is visiting at the home of James H. Potter, on West Linn Street.

G. A. Gillen, of Williamsport, arrived in Bellefonte, Tuesday. He will vis t his sister, Mrs. William Doll.

The body of George Frain passed through Bellefonte last Monday, enroute from Altoona to Cedar Springs.

Miss. Annie C. Moore, of New York, who had been visiting her cousin, Miss Carrie Anderson, returned to her home Friday.

Joseph Barton, of Unionville, one of the best Republicans that ever came down the pike, was a Bellefonte visitor yesterday.

Linn Graham and Scott Stover have formed the "Nimrod Trust." On Tuesday, Linn caught nine trout, while Scott hooked seven.

Mrs. Frank McCoy, of West Linn Street, spent a few days last week, in Spring Mills, Pa., with her brother, William Allison.

Vesta White returned to her home in Baltimore, Tuesday, after a month's vacation, with her parents, of Bush's Addition.

Eleanor Hoffman returned to her home in Williamsport, last Monday, after a brief visit as a guest at the Spigelmyer home in this place.

An automobile party composed of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Lewisohn and family, of Milton, were entertained Tuesday by William Katz and wife.

The last Quarterly Meeting, for this year, of the Free Methodist Church, will be held July 23—25, at the Tabernacle, on Spring Street.

Frank Walz and wife returned to their home in Philadelphia, last Monday, after a pleasant visit with Mrs. Walz's aunt, Mrs. William Dawson.

Miss Myra Humes, Miss ary Anne McGill and Mrs. A. Allison departed today for Atlantic City, where they will spend the next week or ten days.

Dr. J. Coburn Rodgers, of Forty Fort, Pa., accompanied by his wife and child, arrived in Bellefonte, Tuesday. Dr. Rogers has taken apartments in Petrikin Hall.

Henry Dickison, who had been spending his vacation for the last two weeks with his parents, in Cherry Tree, Pa., returned to his position with F. P. Blair & Co., on Monday.

Clara Apgar and Jennie Hartzog, of Easton Pa., are visiting at the Leathers home, in Howard. On Tuesday they were entertained by Mitchell I. Gardner, and wife with a trip to Penn's Cave.

Dr. George B. Green, and wife and two children, are spending the day at the Gephart home, on Linn street. Misses Anna and Christine Blanchard are over-Sunday guests of the Gepharts.

Elizabeth Lorah, a former nurse in the Bellefonte hospital, was operated on, Tuesday, in the same institution, for appendicitis. On the same day Miss Fanny Aikey, of Bellefonte, was admitted to the hospital for treatment.

Edgar T. Burnside, who is at the top rung of the scale business, in Denver, Col., was in a hospital there for several weeks with a badly wrenched knee. He is out again and attending to business, as usual.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Erhart, of New York City, will produce a home talent musical extravaganza entitled "Fantasia," in Bellefonte during the second week in August. The affair is under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. and a treat is promised to the music loving portion of our community. Russell Blair and Budd Harper are helping get up the cast.

Mrs. Jemima Rahm, one of the very oldest residents of Huntingdon County, died at the home of her son-in-law, D. S. Drake, of Huntingdon, Pa., at 8 o'clock, Monday evening. Mrs. Rahm had braved the storms of life for over 95 years and previous to her last illness had never been sick. She was the mother of eleven children, and was the aunt of Miss Cecelia Armor, of this place.

At the beginning of last week, Harry Otto, of Bellefonte, departed for Allentown, to play professional baseball with the Allentown team. This team is in the Atlantic League and is the same that employed Wilbur Twitmire, also of Bellefonte. However, on Monday last, the Allentown team disbanded, being several thousand dollars "in the hole." The result is that "Dutch" and "Twitty" are now holding down jobs with the Landsford, Pa., baseball team.

Register Earle C. Tuten departed today for Atlantic City.

A new side walk has been laid in front of Workman's bargain store.

Prothonotar Arthur Kimport is visiting the homestead, at Linden Hall.

Some attractive improvements are being made at Mills barber shop.

Herbert Sheffer, who is farming, at Milroy, was in town on Tuesday. Looks like the same old "Herb."

Anna McDonald and Mary Foster of State College, were in town on Monday on a little shopping expedition.

Margaret Dowling and her brother, George, returned to their home in Renovo, after a week's visit at the home of Thomas McCafferty.

Dr. Nissley will leave Saturday for Mt. Gretna, Pa., where he will take charge of the horses of the first brigade during the annual encampment of the N. G. P.

Miles Osmer, of Oberlin, Ohio, is visiting home scenes in and about Bellefonte. Its all of thirteen or fourteen years ago, but Miles looks just about the same as he did when we used to play baseball out on Reynolds Avenue.

A visit at the Opera House on Saturday nights is like a visit to a large city park to hear the beautiful music and see the lovely pictures. But we would like to impress upon the people to go earlier to avoid the crowds. The seating capacity is almost a thousand, yet they are taxed to the utmost to meet the rush, so great is the interest in the music and pictures. We can faithfully say no one offers more for the money. Don't miss it. All for 5 cents. Every Saturday night.

Child Has Diptheria.

Rev. Dr. J. Allison Platts departed yesterday for Leonora, N. Y., called there by the serious illness of his three-year-old son, J. Allison Platts, Jr. The Platts family are summering on the banks of Lake Seneca, and Dr. Platts was to have joined them on Monday. On Sunday, however, young Allison complained of sore throat. Diptheria has since developed, and the child has been removed to the Elmira hospital.

Marriage Licenses.

Register Earle C. Tuten has recorded the following marriage licenses.

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